

Bolivia Grab

Hostages For Reds

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP)—Three U.S. government officials, a Peace Corps volunteer, 16 Bolivian technicians and one German were seized at dawn Saturday by anti-government miners and were being held as hostages for the release of three Communist labor leaders.

The Americans, seized with COMIBOL — Corporation Minera de Bolivia — technicians were:

Thomas M. Martin, United States Information Service assistant information officer; Michael A. Kristula, USIS assistant information officer; Bernard Rifkin, labor adviser with the Agency for International Development, and Robert Ferguson, Peace Corps volunteer.

ASSEMBLY HELD

The tin miners held an assembly Saturday morning and resolved to hold the Americans and the technicians prisoners until the three Communist labor leaders being held by the government are released, U.S. sources said.

The miners have promised COMIBOL headquarters that the hostages will not be harmed.

The Communist labor leaders the miners wish released are Federico Escobar, Irineo Pimentel and a man identified as Zeral.

WELL TREATED

The U.S. Embassy in Bolivia has been in communication by radio with Martin, one of the seized U.S. officials.

He reported that he and the other U.S. officials are safe and being well treated.

As the kidnapping became known, the Catavi Miners Union announced it was joining a strike to obtain the release of the Communist leaders, held as alleged subversives. About 8,500 of the 20,000 mine workers in the nationalized system are at Catavi, headquarters of COMIBOL.

Catavi is considered a hotbed of government opposition.



Host of Secret Service Men Watches Johnson Walk

Pacifists Declare War

Aggressive Toys Smashed

MUNICH (AP)—The smiling young man took the toy tank from the little boy, put it down on the sidewalk of one of this city's busiest streets—and smashed it to pieces with a wooden hammer.

The man then handed the boy a streamlined clockwork automobile. The boy was equally happy with his new, and bigger toy. And so was the young man—a member of a West German pacifist movement which every

Christmas time declares war on "toys of aggression."

The pacifists, whose headquarters are in Munich, approach any child carrying a war-like toy, such as a tank, rocket or even a lead soldier and offer to exchange it for a better quality, but peaceful toy.

Once the bargain has been struck the pacifists then smash up the military toy in a public demonstration against compulsory military service.

Berlin Christmas

REDS KEEP WALL SHUT

BERLIN (AP)—Hopes of West Berliners for a breach in the wall during the Christmas season faded Saturday night.

The East German regime rejected a West German offer to negotiate issuance of passes to West Berliners wanting to visit relatives and friends in the east sector during the holidays.

The East Germans said they would talk only to the West Berlin city administration on the matter and any move to pull the West German government into the act was an attempt to torpedo the whole project.

The statement repeated the Communist position that West Berlin has an independent status and should be turned into a neutralized free city.

Up to the time the statement was issued, there had been widespread optimism that a Yuletide arrangement might be possible for the first time since the wall was built in August, 1961. Hundreds of thousands of Berliners who have relatives or friends in the eastern part of the city had been excited about the prospects raised in an East German letter to Mayor Willy Brandt.

ISSUE PASSES

The letter proposed that East German permit offices be set up in West Berlin to issue passes to West Berliners for visits in East Berlin between Dec. 15 and Jan. 5. It also said East German Deputy Premier Alexander Abusch was ready to discuss the proposal with Brandt.

Brandt passed the proposal on to the Bonn government, which instructed its chief representative for trade with East Germany to take charge of the negotiations.

APPEALATION

Then word in Bonn that the government "accepted the intention of the Eastern side" prompted speculation that the deal was all but sealed.

But the Communist conditions for the passes—establishing offices in West Berlin—were virtually the same ones put forward by the East Germans and rejected by the West in previous years. Brandt—aware of that fact—quickly issued a statement warning that there was "no reason for hope." He added,

however, that his administration would do everything possible to "rectify the inhuman consequences" of the Communist wall.



Brandt

What'll He Do For Encore?

PACIFICA, Calif. (AP)—Santa Claus parachuted from a light plane about 7,500 feet over a shopping centre parking lot Saturday in a bid to make a spectacular entrance. Carefully, confidently, Santa glided downward—smack into the Pacific Ocean.

Four passing surfboard riders

rescued the easily-floating Santa—with all those pillows, who wouldn't float?—and carried him toward the shore. Santa (Ron Young, 25, a veteran sky diver), regaining a bit of his jovial disposition, stepped ashore to greet a throng of cheering kiddies. Then his pants fell down.

Baby Sole Survivor As Train Kills 11

MIDLAND CITY, Ala. (AP)—A one-year-old girl was the only survivor of a car-train smash Saturday in which 11 members of her family died.

The child, Margaret Ann Langford, was in serious condition with head injuries.

The highway patrol said the 12 were in an old-model station wagon which was rammed

by the Atlantic Coast Line railroad freight at a crossing within the city limits.

Rufus Riley and Henry Williams said they were the first to arrive at the scene. "I looked up across a clear spot when I heard the train blow its whistle twice," Riley said. "I saw the station wagon about to cross the tracks. It rolled onto the tracks and apparently stalled. The train hit it and knocked it about 100 yards down the track."

"When we got there, there was a deadly quiet. There was no noise, there just wasn't anything happening. It was so quiet. There was no moaning."

Those killed outright were identified as Mr. and Mrs. Henry Langford, their children, Ray Allen, 10, and Jeannie, 6; their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Kenneth Langford and three of her children, Henry Allen, 3, Vernelle and Judy Carol, and a second daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Langford, Margaret Ann's mother.

Another of the Langfords' sons, Donald, 18, and Mrs. Kenneth Langford's daughter, Shirley Ann, 7, died in a hospital about three hours later.

New Strongman

Dashing Soldier Sweeps Viet Nam

HOI AN, South Viet Nam (AP)—In this remote coastal town, the man who is fast becoming South Viet Nam's most popular figure wound up with spectacular flourishes Saturday a stumping tour of villages and hamlets near the Communist border.

His swashbuckling manner captivated villagers. His words came through forcefully. With a joke, he answered catcalls. Students lugged him on their shoulders.

Some saw potential danger in

him; others said he is just what South Viet Nam needs. He is Maj. Gen. Ton That Dinh, 37, a hero of the coup that toppled the regime of President Ngo Dinh Diem and his brother Nhu Nov. 1-2.

Dinh gave his final speech of the tour from a balcony at provincial headquarters in Hoi An, 150 miles southeast of Communist North Viet Nam.

STUDENTS CHEER

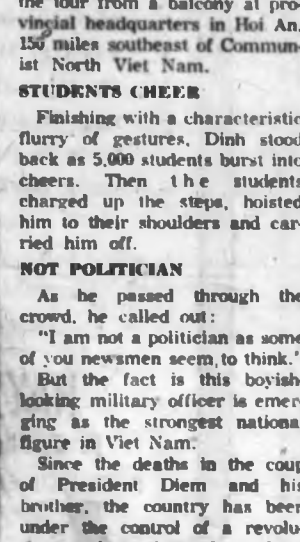
Finishing with a characteristic flurry of gestures, Dinh stood back as 5,000 students burst into cheers. Then the students charged up the steps, hoisted him to their shoulders and carried him off.

NOT POLITICIAN

As he passed through the crowd, he called out: "I am not a politician as some of you newsmen seem to think."

But the fact is this boyish-looking military officer is emerging as the strongest national figure in Viet Nam.

Since the deaths in the coup of President Diem and his brother, the country has been under the control of a revolutionary junta headed by Maj. Gen. Duong Van Minh and Maj. Gen. Tran Van Dong.



Ton That Dinh

Toronto, New York, London

Worried West Turns Out The Guard

By the Canadian Press

Security consciousness in the wake of President Kennedy's assassination was evident Saturday in Toronto, London and New York.

Prime Minister Pearson is spending the weekend in Toronto and is being heavily guarded by police.

Mr. Pearson, who spoke Friday night at the University of Toronto's Victoria College, said later there was no necessity for police to give him special protection.

Rites Today

In New York, one of the tightest security plans in Manhattan's history has been set up for today's visit of President Johnson to attend the funeral of Herbert H. Lehman, a former New York state governor.

In London, the 9:30 p.m. Saturday deadline set in an assassination threat against Harold Wilson, Labor party leader, passed with Scotland Yard able to report: "Everything is quiet at Mr. Wilson's house."

Two Letters

Police guards were doubled after two threatening letters were received Tuesday — one sent to Scotland Yard and the other to the offices of a national daily newspaper.

Mr. Wilson said the threats probably were the work of "an unbalanced person who is harmless."



One Bobby Guards Wilson

'Buffoon' Once Called Mao Old Galosh

LONDON (UPI)—A Chinese magazine said Saturday that Nikita Khrushchev once called Mao Tse-tung a "worn-out galosh" that should be discarded.

The disclosure, in the official English-language Peking Review, underscored the strong personal animosity between the two Communist leaders stemming from the Moscow-Peking political and ideological quarrel.

The Peking Review said Khrushchev attacked Mao at the banquet of the political consultative conference of the Warsaw Treaty signatories on Feb. 4, 1960, nearly four years before the party dispute burst into the open.

Khrushchev, the publication said, referred to Red China's ruler as "a man old, but unwise, (who) reminds one of a worn-out galosh (overshoe) which can only be put in a corner of a room to be admired."

Mao's pent-up wrath exploded publicly a couple of weeks ago when an official Red Chinese rebuttal of Khrushchev's peaceful co-existence policies chided the Soviet leader as a "Bible-reading and psalm singing buffoon" and a "laughing stock."

Mao, who will be 70 years old this month, has been reliably reported to rate himself above Khrushchev intellectually and as the new, true

prophet of Marxism, aiming at the supreme leadership of international Communism.

The Chinese revolutionary leader, writer, poet, Marxist theoretician and one-time athlete has been authoritatively reported to oppose a settlement with Russia so long as Khrushchev rules the Kremlin.

Peking recently was reported to have asked for the removal of the Kremlin's leadership, implying the removal of Khrushchev himself,

as the preliminary for a realignment of the Moscow-Peking axis.

The Peking review accused Khrushchev of "stupidity" for putting missiles into Cuba which could never save Cuba but only provoke attack from the United States.

"Therefore, when Khrushchev removed the missiles from Cuba he was not an angel saving the world, but a comrade correcting a mistake."

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Going Home

NEW YORK (AP)—Negro singer-actor Paul Robeson, 65, now living in Communist East Berlin, is ready to return to the United States after living abroad for the last five years, according to Negro author Louis Lomax, "and I don't mean just physically."



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Energetic Kennedy Youngsters Shake Off Sorrow

Sorrow does not rest for long on the shoulders of active youngsters. The two children of John F. Kennedy were out playing yesterday after their mother moved out of the

White House into the borrowed Georgetown home of Averill Harriman. At left, John, Jr., 3, pauses for a drink from playground fountain near his new home. Centre, Caroline, 6,

and cousin Sydney Lawford, 7, busy themselves on parallel bars. At right, Caroline and John-John keep seesaw busy. Mrs. Kennedy stayed home.—(AP Photofax)

One of Those Days Nothing Went Right

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Joseph Blumenthal, 74, a tavern owner, has been robbed twice in five years. So when a man entered the tavern early Saturday and said "don't move or I'll kill you," Blumenthal was ready.

Blumenthal pulled out a revolver, police said, and fired five shots at the man, who was less than 10 feet away. The man dodged around the room and Blumenthal missed with each bullet.

When the gun was empty the man shoved Blumenthal aside, took \$60 from a cash register and ran out.

Pentagon Payroll Slash Next Year, Says Johnson

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Johnson announced Saturday that the defence budget and the Pentagon payroll will be cut in the next fiscal year. But he indicated it will be difficult to keep the total U.S. budget below \$102,000,000,000.

The president also disclosed that he will address the UN General Assembly in New York on Dec. 17 and is sending Secretary of Defense Robert S.

McNamara to Saigon next week to "look over the situation" in South Viet Nam.

These and a series of other announcements were sprung by Johnson at an unprecedented, unannounced news conference in his office.

It was a big surprise to some 30 reporters who were on Saturday assignment at the White House. At noon, the newsmen

REYKJAVIK, Iceland (AP)—Three Frenchmen became the first men to step onto a still-smoking, newly-erupted volcanic island in the North Atlantic Friday. The step was almost their last, they said. The island blew up in their faces.
Gerard Gery of the magazine

Paris Match, Philip Lafon and Pierre Mazaud, a Paris judge, went to the Vestmannaeyjar Island group, 14 islands that emerged as volcanoes centuries ago, as a base camp for their assault.

CALLED LUNACY
The islands are 70 miles southeast of Reykjavik.

Islanders told them the new island, some seven miles out from the main group, had first appeared Nov. 14. They said it was lucky to go there since the volcano still was very active.

The trio made the seven-mile crossing in a rubber and canvas boat with an outboard

motor. They reached the island without mishap and went ashore as an accompanying fishing boat stood offshore.

They were on the island about 20 minutes, loaded down with camera equipment and had planted a French flag, though the island is in Icelandic waters.

CRATER TOP
They had not yet started to climb to the top of the 300-foot-high crater.

Then, without warning, the island was enveloped in smoke and flame as the crater erupted. The three men disappeared, then reappeared, scrambling

Italy's Moro Completes Centre-Left Cabinet

ROME (UPI)—The centre-left cabinet of Premier Aldo Moro met last night for the first time and completed the lineup that will seek a confidence vote from parliament.

Former foreign minister Attilio Piccioni, a Christian Democrat, was given what was described as "particular political

tasks." A party colleague, Giulio Pastore, was confirmed in his job as head of the government fund for the south. Social Democrat Luigi Preti took over reform of the civil service, Christian Democrat Umberto Delle Fave was asked to handle relations with parliament and Socialist Carlo Arnaudi, a noted microbiologist, was placed in charge of scientific and technological research.

UN 'Teeth' Advocated

MONTREAL (CP)—The world, if it is to survive, must be federated under a united nations with "legislative teeth," C. S. Burchill, national president of the World Federalists of Canada, said Friday.

Mr. Burchill, also a professor of history and economics at Royal Roads Military College in Victoria, said at a press conference the World Federalists, with affiliates in 46 countries, aim to strengthen the UN to make it truly effective in maintaining world peace.

"The United Nations can do this only if it is more representative," he said.

ROMANIAN STUDENTS

More than 60,000 students attend some 300 "workers' and people's" universities in Romania.

More Provincial Aid Goal of Indian Group

VANCOUVER (CP)—The North American Indian Brotherhood will seek greater provincial government financial aid in Indian affairs during a dominion-provincial conference on Indian affairs in Ottawa May 4.

Lawyer Henry Castilow who is preparing a brief for the brotherhood said it will seek Victoria's participation in Indian social welfare and road maintenance in reservations.

TAX REVENUES

"The provincial government receives gasoline tax, sales tax, and indirect taxes from the Indians as well as 50 per cent of lease money for reservation land, but the province has done nothing to plow it back into Indian aid," he said.

"Other provinces have taken over Indian social welfare payments, and Ontario pays part of the maintenance cost of roads and bridges in reservations," he said.

In Vancouver, the federal government said Friday it will make \$5,000 available to the Vancouver Indian Social Centre, a recreational house for Indian students and workers set up this year to keep young Indians away from the slum area of the city.

Young Tories Back John D

OTTAWA (CP)—The executive of the Ontario Young Conservatives Association unanimously affirmed Saturday its confidence in John Diefenbaker's leadership but recommended his position be tested by secret ballot.

The balloting should be held at the Progressive Conservative party's February annual meeting, in the interests of party unity, the executive said.

Island Erupts in French Faces

Watch That First Step!

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A Foolish Move

IN REACHING its decision to oust the Republic of South Africa from all its future meetings and conferences in Africa, the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization has displayed considerable short-sightedness.

It has obviously bowed to political pressures in an area in which the narrow and oft-times conflicting national policies of its member nations should be allowed to play no part.

The FAO was created for three main purposes only—none of which touch upon the politics or ideological principles of any of its 82 members.

They are: to seek ways of raising levels of nutrition and standards of living of the peoples of the world; to secure improvements in the efficiency of the production and distribution of all food and agricultural products; and to improve the condition of rural populations.

The non-political role of the FAO is perhaps best underlined by the fact that among its members are nations from every corner of the earth whose people are governed under every conceivable kind of rule ranging from absolute monarchy to democratic republicanism and from Communism to Fascism.

From the time of its inception, the FAO has had in its ranks countries of such widely divergent political beliefs as Spain and Yugoslavia, Cuba and the United States, the Netherlands and Indonesia, Poland and Portugal, Ethiopia and Iceland.

Indeed, until now, the FAO has been perhaps the only United Nations agency where men of widely opposite views, often sworn enemies in the field of international politics and ambitions, can sit side by side in harmony working together toward a common goal.

That the FAO has now seen fit to introduce politics into its scheme of things may set a dangerous precedent which if followed could easily destroy the effectiveness of the organization's great and important work.

The short range effect of its action will in itself inflict no little hardship upon many of the newly emerged African republics. South Africa has long assumed the practical leadership of the whole continent in working toward the FAO's ultimate aims.

More than any other country in Africa, South Africa has freely contributed its knowledge, its technicians and its financial assistance in attempting to improve the agricultural development of the multitude of backward and undeveloped African countries.

It is hardly likely after this rebuff that it will continue in this work. Rather will the Boer republic now concentrate its efforts and money on improving its own agricultural production to increase its already remunerative food export business.

Once again the Afro-Asian group have apparently allowed personal politics to override common sense.

Of Prior Weight

IT IS too late for this year, and the suggestion has been repeatedly rejected, but there is merit to the idea of the Victoria Labor Council that more polls should be available for voters in the municipal and city elections.

In the city particularly, where the rush and crush of traffic presents a deterrent to a large turn-out of electors and there are many numbers of elderly people who do not find it easy to travel far, the continuing use of but one central voting station is an outmoded system.

At least the use of school premises, spaced of much more suitable access, is worth a trial.

Even if more polling stations did, as claimed they would, result in a larger number of ballots being cast this is not the absolute criterion, which is that the facilities extended to the voting public should be as wide as possible.

Nor does the fact that a central depot aids in the compilation of returns offset the desirability of suiting the convenience of voters, which should be a consideration of prior weight.

It is to be hoped that next year a change of viewpoint will prevail at city hall and elsewhere through the Greater Victoria area.

Bugged

ONE of America's leading entomologists, Dr. Edward Steinhaus, told a group of fellow scientists in California the other day that insects, with whom man has warred since the beginning of time, could well be humanity's greatest ally.

"They are," he said, "the best remaining source of untapped food, can be used for experiments in nutrition, for the testing of drugs and medicine and in the further studies of aerodynamics."

Because of all this, Professor Steinhaus urged the United States not to get left behind in the race to harness the insect world.

If the good doctor turns out to be as good a prophet as he is an entomologist one might wonder if our future generations will still continue to use such phrases as "She's got butterflies in her stomach" or "He's got ants in his pants."

If they do they might only mean in one case that she has had a good meal while in the other that he is carrying his lunch around in his back pocket.

Humard Titbits

Nothing Altered

MR. PICKERSGILL: Mr. Chairman, what I am going to do is rather unusual, but in view of all the circumstances I would like to say to the right hon. gentleman, and also to the whole committee, that the desert here on the treasury benches is occasioned by the fact that a meeting is being held in connection with the federal-provincial conference, and it is not intended as a discourtesy to the right hon. gentleman or any other member of the committee. I am only sorry my colleagues were not here to hear the speech of the right hon. gentleman.

Mr. Churchill: I didn't notice anything strange.

Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes, and ships,
and sealing wax..."

By TOM TAYLOR

HISTORIC developments are taking place among the hierarchy of the Roman Catholic Church, and none more so than the announcement that Pope Paul VI will make a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. He will be the first pope ever to visit the fount of Christendom.

It is strange that in the long history of Catholicism none of his predecessors ever journeyed to the land where Christ preached and from whence came his disciple, St. Peter, venerated by the Roman Church as its first pope.

Pope Paul is expanding the plane of reform introduced by the widening vision of Pope John, with perhaps incalculable future benefits to the cause of Christendom as a whole.

Already at Madame Tassaud's in London they are sculpting a wax figure of Lee Oswald, presumably to be placed in the Chamber of Horrors as the assassin of President Kennedy.

There will be few who doubt his guilt, although the due process of law was denied its right to pronounce the judgment.

Shocked and angry emotion over the death of so cherished a president is understandable, for this was widely shared, and probably makes academic any seeming dissent from the retribution that so quickly came Oswald's way.

Yet it was contrary to the tenets of justice that before being shot in turn, and before investigators had gathered the evidence they now possess, Oswald should have been openly convicted by word of mouth and in print by police authorities and writers of repute.

This threw right out of perspective the accepted and basic legal thesis that a person is innocent until he is proved in court to be guilty.

And that is a trend not to be viewed lightly, even when associated with such a dastardly deed as presidential assassination.

So Hans Gruber has made his leave of absence permanent, or at least relinquished the baton he wove in pursuit of our symphony entertainment.

One hopes he may come back to our midst again some day.

He was a fascinating figure, was this slight and picturesque conductor who raised the orchestra to new musical heights and gave it national notice and standing.

More than that, he was a person of attractive mind and distinctive personality—and one who combined unusual forces.

In youth, he once told me, he had to decide for a career between cars and music, a choice not normally associated with symphony conductors. And his interest in cars reflected the off-podium side of his activities.

One wonders whether he is bent on entering what was perhaps his first love, the automotive industry, there to indulge a flair for design or engineering, or whether larger musical horizons loom before him.

No matter what, we shall miss him. In his person he added color to the local scene.

Strange the way of boys, as news of the illness of a famous English cricketer, Sir Jack Hobbs, causes me to reflect.

It was at school that by some alchemy I adopted Hobbs as my hero, a county batsman and one of the supreme peers of the game, who lived and played hundreds of miles away. I never saw him, yet for years I followed his fortunes in the Surrey and England elevens.

Yet I was a little Scots boy far removed from England or its ways. I was brought up on the thistle but there I was cheering for the rose.

Dateline: Europe

The Artificial State

By OTTO VON HABSBUERG

RECENT changes in leading positions and Communist-style self-criticism in the German Democratic Republic have led to widespread political speculation in the Free World. Self-styled experts speak of conflicting tendencies, of a new orientation and de-Stalinization. Some have even gone so far as to dream of a possible German reunification.

We have here a case of purely mental gymnastics without any relations to practical life.

Most satellite states, created by the Soviet Union in central and eastern Europe, have little if any political consistency. The Hungarian freedom fight of 1956 showed the congenial weakness of Communist governments. They survive only thanks to Russia's military presence. The only reality of the satellite countries is the remnants of their national character.

East Germany lacks even this slender basis. Nearly all its inhabitants consider the Federal Republic as the state of the Germans, that is to say the country to which they owe national loyalty. Soviet insistence on the sovereignty of its artificial creation cannot change this fundamental fact. East Germany hence is not a state as we conceive it, but only the consequence of a temporary situation, which depends exclusively on the will of two world powers. This is why the public speeches and the games of musical chairs played by the puppets in the government of Pankow, have not the slightest significance.

Looking at the map one will see that the so-called German Democratic Republic only exists because it gives the U.S.S.R. the welcome pretext to keep its troops stationed west of Poland. Warsaw is

"nationalism" as the North American breed of South Africa "apartheid."

And just as suddenly—although not perhaps altogether unexpectedly—Premier Lesage, himself reacting to the reaction, said it was all a misunderstanding.

He'd never made any "demands" as such, much less ultimatums.

It was all the fault of the translators.

More encouraging still, Quebec and Premier Lesage took an astonishingly (for them) soft approach to the federal-provincial conference, leaving at home the big "come-across-or-else" gun that almost everybody had expected them to put to Ottawa's and English Canada's head.

So perhaps everybody is cooling off.

It might have been that it wasn't until Premier Lesage heard Quebec's own extremist kind of talk played back to it—and from parliament—that he realized fully, for the first time, just how it could sound.

There was really only one extreme word used.

It was, of course, the "blackmail" reference made by Lawrence Kindt, Conservative MP for Macleod, a South Alberta constituency, in discussing the latest in a series of ultimatums from Premier Lesage that if the word "national" wasn't dropped from the Centennial, Quebec would boycott the nation's biggest birthday party in 1967.

"If we in other provinces are approached with the thought that something which is good for us all is good for Quebec—then all right," said Lawrence Kindt. "But when we are approached with the ultimatum to do something which is good for Quebec and, automatically must be—when it isn't good for the rest of us, and are ordered to do it or else, well, that is blackmail. And to this we object."

By RICHARD JACKSON, Colonist Ottawa Bureau

Relatively mild words, those. Mild, at least, in comparison with the harsh words of Quebec Separatism. But not so mild that Premier Lesage, apparently, didn't understand the meaning behind them and quickly discern "demand" and "ultimatum."

Perhaps the final persuader was the "apartheid" crack of Stephen Otto, outspoken Liberal from Toronto's North York constituency.

He talked Quebec's kind of language, and it jarred Parliament Hill clear to the foundations of the East Block where Prime Minister Pearson and the cabinet ponder such problems of separatism.

It shook many of the older hands among the Liberals, some of them long-service senators, out of their silence.

And in the party's parliamentary caucus, where the cabinet now gets told off rather telling off, they spoke of their concern that the party was losing support in other provinces because of the rapidly spreading suspicion of an altogether too apparent willingness to make almost any concession to Quebec.

So the political alarm bells began, at last, ringing all across Parliament Hill, and Premier Lesage, an old federal cabinet colleague of Prime Minister Pearson, diplomatically—and realistically—began reacting to the reaction.

And now perhaps, after strong words from English Canada finally answering violent words from French Canada, all concerned are simmering down.

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As it was better, youth

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—Robert Browning.

Rocks for the Birds

Our Readers' Views

Why did they do that to the Roundabout? Those rocks are sure "for the birds," as any tourists coming in would think. Maybe the parks branch is tired of caring for grass and flowers. If so, it's time there were new personnel who would see to it this particularly important intersection was another point of pride for Victoria.

Maybe parks branch should go look at its strip of grass and roses just west of the B.C. Electric building and not try to cheapen our city and make a laughing point at this particular intersection.

MRS. M. C. GUSTUS,
2531 Aquilth St.

'Dizzyiser'

Is this improvement—and I use the word very loosely—to our cute little dizzyiser Roundabout deliberately to warn our citizens and visitors alike that Victoria is on the rocks?

The more far-sighted will start a landslide in real estate selling. They will see in this the "Garden City" of the future and the futile attempt to earn enough to pay the huge water bills while city gardeners coax moss on the rocks.

My suggestion is trees, big ones—possibly weeping willows. If they were big enough nobody would be able to see.

LAURA VEZINA,
259 Dalhousie St.

Sane Idea

The most outstanding degradation of the term degradation was heard recently in a speech criticizing the mayor of Courtenay for his very sane idea that where possible the recipients of welfare should earn such benefits, if such they can be termed.

The minister of welfare

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stated that such a request would be degrading. Obviously, said minister is out of touch with human nature for there are many seeking work and wages—preferable to the dole—that cannot get same due to the upheaval that automation has caused.

Many, too, would much prefer to obtain a position where it would be possible to increase their own emolument and procure security, with the hope that "degradation" would not besmirch their own conscience.

ELLEN HART,
Chipperfield,
East Sooke.

Drylanders

After reading Mr. Gaskell's report on the "Drylanders" we were rather dubious about seeing it, but having seen it, we are at a loss to know Mr. Gaskell's object in giving the public such a poor account of it.

We lived through all of the "Dirty Thirties", if one could call it living, and we felt that "Drylanders" faithfully portrayed the circumstances during those years, even to the sketchy relief seen in by the government.

It brought back to us the hopeful searching of the sky

Time Capsule

Caddy's Mate

From Colonist Files

CADBOROSAURUS was a reported to have a male or a twin brother when sighted about 50 miles south of Nanaimo, 25 years ago.

The captain of the tug Catala Chief logged the sighting by himself, the first mate and the cook, of Caddy looping through the water and then a "second" and slightly smaller serpent "popping up to follow the first."

"One good view of the first serpent disclosed the fact definitely that it was well over 40 feet in length, with a snake-like head and round body."

The Hudson's Bay Company was in the liquor business—and offering bargains that now seem astounding—50 years ago.

The HB Christmas Hamper No. 2, for instance, included a bottle of Fine Old Highland Scotch Whisky, a bottle of Old Special Rye, a bottle of Finest Cognac Three-Star Brandy, a bottle of Ye Oldie Hudson's Bay Rum, a bottle of London Dry Gin, a bottle of Old Cardinal Port, a bottle of Old Bodega Sherry, and a bottle of Special Ginger Wine. The price was \$7, and "with this hamper a \$1.50 box of 25 domestic cigars for \$1."

Money, of course, was not so plentiful. Locomotive firemen and brakemen were being sought at "about \$100" a month; a secretary with a \$1,000 investment was needed for a limited company, which would pay him \$75 a month.)

Canadian bicentennial was an issue as it is today, 75 years ago, as a result of articles in The Toronto Mail.

"The Mail denies advocating a combination against the French-Canadian minority," the Colonist commented. "It says: 'The French-Canadians are here to stay and no one in his right mind would dream of invading against their presence, or against the law of their expansion as a race, or against their ideals as a separate and distinct people, or against the religion which they profess, or against any other natural or irremediable fact of their existence.'"

"Yet what the Mail declares no sane man would dream of doing is precisely what nine people out of 10 who have read its articles on Quebec and its people believe that it has done..."

Only one merchant in Victoria was making a point of the approach of Christmas, 100 years ago.

But St. Zinn's Santa Claus Headquarters and Fancy Bazaar broke into verse of sorts—under the heading of Merry Christmas and Happy New Year:

"One thousand persons—male and female, too,
Are now required at Zinn's.
What to do?
They will have from time to time to lend their aid
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The stock consists of Fancy Goods, Toys and Vases
And may be taken away as parties please..."

for a cloud, but there was nothing but a copper sun. Hummer! Yes, it was lacking; it was a "wet year" country. We had reason to know, having lived in various parishes and visited among the dauntless families. Granted, many packed up and left, but most stayed on.

We feel that Frances Hyland and the whole cast did an excellent job.

In our opinion, the National Film Board is to be congratulated, and we hope to see more full length films with the depth and sincerity of "Drylanders."

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Road Access

Regarding your excellent report regarding the unfair closing of my road access to Cadboro Bay Road, by the construction of a retaining wall by the Oak Bay council, I would add that this access has been the established right-of-way to the property for more than 30 years, and is the only access being closed on Cadboro Bay Road. Obviously, I made the mistake of creating an additional access to Beach Drive a few years ago, which does not say much for one improving one's property in Oak Bay!

I would also like to make it known that it was a qualified civil engineer who told me it was possible to incorporate my access in the Cadboro Bay Road reconstruction scheme at no additional cost to that scheme, as this would simplify the retaining wall construction. That is why not one single dollar of public funds need be wasted in compensation, etc.

ROBERT MAIN,
3572 Beach Drive.

Johnson Tackles Congress

By GORDON DONALDSON
From Washington

President Johnson has made an impressive start. He has done much to calm the nation and the world and assure everyone that life will go on as before.

His first address to Congress was a trial. Most of the words came from Kennedy's speech writer, Theodore Sorensen, but the big Texan made them his own. He has done likewise with Kennedy's major policies and the New Frontier Kennedy advisers, who have agreed to stay in their jobs for the time being.

He has reassured Americans that their government will be carried on as strongly as before. He has revived the confidence of his Democratic Party, which is almost as hopeful of winning next year's presidential election as it was before Kennedy's death.

Now he begins the task at which John Kennedy failed—that of getting Congress to vote.

The presidency is secure once again, but the legislative branch of the American system is in a sad state.

Two months after Labor Day, when they had hoped to quit for the year, Congressmen and Senators still sit at their desks in a sort of hopeless trance.

In 11 months they've accomplished practically nothing. They may not get home for Christmas dinner, and there is a feeling in the country that they don't deserve any.

President Kennedy's two big bills—the tax cut, which was to stimulate the economy and provide more jobs, and the civil rights bill, which was to defuse the explosive racial crisis—remain bogged down.

It is hard for Canadians or people from any other British parliamentary democracy to understand how two vital government bills can lie for months in nooks and crannies without even coming to a vote.

It is not enough to blame the complexity of the congressional committee system under which legislation is passed and bounced around by small mutually antagonistic groups and seldom gets out into the fresh air of full dress debate.

There are faults in the system and faults in the people who operate it. Congress has its own Establishment. The chairman of key committees who can speed bills through, kill them, or sit on them until they suffocate.

Because of the seniority system, they usually are old conservative Southern Democrats. You have to stay in Congress a long time to succeed to the chair of an important committee and only members from the one-party Southern states are guaranteed re-election term after term.

A classic example is Howard W. Smith, chairman of the House Rules Committee. This courtly Virginian gentleman is nearing 81 and has been in the House of Representatives since 1930. His 15-man committee decides what measures will be debated and when.

"Judge" Smith decides if and when his committee will meet. When he feels like it he goes home to his farm and the House is left without anything to debate.

As he does not believe much in civil rights, he has refused to schedule the civil rights bill for debate this year.

In the Senate site Harry Byrd of Virginia, 75, and a Senator since 1933. His finance committee has stymied the tax cut bill because Senator Byrd does not believe in cutting taxes without curbing government spending.

Then there is Senator James Eastland, 59, who has represented Mississippi since 1941. He is the toughest segregationist in Congress. He heads the judiciary committee, which is stalling the civil rights bill in the Senate.

Because of men like these, the rest of the 100 Senators and 434 Congressmen cannot vote on vital bills. President Johnson has appealed to the sentiment of Congress in asking it pass the two bills to honor the memory of President Kennedy. If this fails he will have to use other measures.

President Johnson is, of course, a master of the wiles of Congress. And he has powerful allies there who will be busy in the months ahead.

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Don't Panic! Rocks May Look Fine

By IAN STREET

Let's not drop the idea of a stone surface treatment for the traffic islands replacing the roundabout.

But let us see that the job is done properly. The merits of the scheme should not be judged by the present appearance of the islands, covered by what appears to be rejects from the sorting screens of a local gravel pit.

For a start, as public works committee was told a few days ago, this is only the first phase of the development. The committee members, who are beginning to show signs of acute distress whenever rocks are mentioned, were assured that the completed plan will include tubes of evergreens and flowers in season.

As they stand, the rock-strewn islands look drab, and for one doubt that any number of flower-filled tubes would make them attractive.

The rocks themselves, therefore, must be worked over to fit in with the original scheme. This called for selected rocks, each five to eight inches across, to be set individually in tinted cement. The result was to be a cobbled surface, a sort of stone mosaic.

A far cry from the mess we have now on the traffic islands that mark the entrance to the garden city of Victoria.

It's this "garden city" tag, incidentally, that is being used to bludgeon aldermen into tossing out the rock treatment and replace it with green lawns. That would be playing safe; no chance of criticism there.

There's something jarring about the thought of sad little triangles of grass in the midst of a sea of moving cars and trucks.

And this new intersection, the junction of two principal north-south traffic arteries, handles more vehicles than any other in the city. It isn't

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a garden corner, but that doesn't mean that it should not be dressed up with flowers and shrubs.

An essential part of the stone treatment is the arrangement of shallow tubes in groups on each traffic island. In season these would contain either evergreen shrubs or a selection of flowers.

Planners would go further and add a small number of strategically placed trees. Provided the foliage starts above 10 feet from



the ground there should be no loss of drivers' visibility.

The trees in summer would provide a bright patch of green and the shadows they cast would make a changing pattern on the cobblestone surface. The various flowers would add color, giving way to evergreens in winter. This type of treatment, undoubtedly, will be used in future at several downtown locations. It already exists at Mayfair

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Kiernan 'Burden' Makes Sense

Criticism Unwarranted

By TERRY HAMMOND

With criticism of multi-purpose ministers still mounting and with a clutch of ambitious Sacred backbenchers growing restive, why would Premier Bennett add two portfolios to the burden of a man already in the cabinet?

Put in its proper perspective, the move to give Mines Minister Kiernan the recreation-conservation and commercial transport portfolios was not really surprising.

Premier Bennett makes no secret of his belief that the best cabinet is a small one. In recent years he has scarcely passed up an opportunity to curtail its numbers.

When the electors blew the whistle on Lyle Wicks in 1960 his labor, commercial transport and railways assignments were simply split up among the rest of the team.

Newton Steacy's agriculture portfolio probably would have gone the same way if there had been anyone available, but there wasn't. Kiernan, who started out with agriculture in 1952, was still in the throes of coping with the new emphasis on the mines department and wasn't available.

When Mr. Bennett's party came to power in 1952 he had to make 10 cabinet choices on the basis of relatively little knowledge and with practically no time for deliberation.

In this vein it is interesting to note that of the 10 he chose 11 years ago five are still going strong and four of them hold their original portfolios or variations thereof; two are dead, two lost their seats and one (Robert Sommers) resigned.

By 1961 the strength of the cabinet had increased to 12, not counting the premier, due to the appointment of the late Buda Brown as a minister without portfolio, and Earle Westwood to the recreation and conservation portfolio when it was first created.



With the transfer of recreation and conservation to 10—and it is likely to remain there for some time.

Aside from the premier's personal convictions about what size a cabinet should be, he was faced with another problem had he decided to name a new minister—there just isn't much cabinet material to choose from.

He had already passed over on other occasions those backbenchers who held seats prior to Sept. 30 and it would be reasonable to suppose that whatever shortcomings they exhibited there were still in evidence last week.

Ralph Loffmark, among the backbench newcomers, is a likely cabinet choice some day, but probably not for recreation and conservation.

U.K. Mailbags Found in East

PARRY SOUND, Ont. (UPI)—Police are investigating the possibility that 14 empty British mailbags found near Parry Sound are connected with Britain's great train robbery.

Police said the bags, marked London, England, were found on a roadside near the Ontario resort community.

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Daring Era Over

By DOUG MARSHALL, from London

The sound of political minds changing gears is beginning to penetrate the silent void left by John F. Kennedy's death.

Throughout the democratic West the principal question in party committee rooms, asked somewhat shamefacedly, is "how will it affect us?"

Initially it was believed in most quarters that Kennedy's radical, reforming influence on international politics would emerge rekindled and recharged from the catharsis of near-universal grief.

The theme that Kennedy's work must be carried on, that dedication to the liberal and progressive principles for which he stood would be the only true memorial, was constantly reiterated in the non-American tributes.

But now, as the mourners turn to

pick up the threads again, a second and considerably less exalting theory is beginning to gain ground.

This line of thought holds that, with Kennedy the anchor man gone, electorates will be less inclined to be adventurous, to put untried left-wing parties into power. Says the London weekly, The Economist:

"The reaction of politicians is only too liable to take the form of a recoil towards prudence, if not paralysis. After an unexpected blow people often curl up, like startled hedgehogs, into strictly defensive postures."

Although there is little substantiating evidence, political observers believe the recent right-wing landslides in Australia and New Zealand elections may have been detonated by the sniper's shot fired in Dallas.

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Doctors' Fees May Climb 5.7 Per Cent

VANCOUVER (CP) — Doctors' fees in British Columbia are expected to go up an average 5.7 per cent in 1964.

The B.C. Medical Association says its proposals for a new set of minimum fees have been accepted by most prepaid medical insurance plans. Still holding out are two large plans covering 655,000 persons, but the association says it is determined to implement its schedule with or without their approval. The total bill for the estimated 2,000 doctors in the province would go to \$60,600,000 in 1964 from the present \$37,300,000.

The association proposes to put the new schedule into effect Jan. 1, 1964.

The increases are said to be in line with others won in the community by various groups since the last general fee increase on Jan. 1, 1962.

Have to Pay Difference

If agreement is not reached with Medical Services Association and CU and C Health Services Society, their members will have to pay the difference out of their own pockets.

Examples of the new fees (existing fees bracketed):

- Maternity cases, including delivery and pre- and post-natal care: by a general practitioner, \$100 (\$90); by a certified obstetrician, \$150 (\$125);
- Caesarean operation, \$150 (\$125);
- Emergency obstetrical consultation in cases of complicated delivery, \$75 (\$50);
- Removal of the uterus, \$200 (\$175);

- Curettage (scraping of the womb) \$40 (\$30);
- Therapeutic abortion, \$80 (\$75);
- Skin biopsy (removal of tissue for examination), \$15 (\$10);

- Fee for a second surgeon to assist in major operations, \$75 (\$50);
- Cataract operation, \$200 (\$150);
- Removal of tonsils and adenoids: for child, \$40 (\$35); for adult, \$60 (\$50);
- Correction of a narrowing of a major artery, \$400 (\$350);
- Removal of a breast, \$225 (\$200);
- Psychiatric examination and assessment \$20 (\$15).

Office Visits Unchanged

The bill for routine office visits will be unchanged at \$5 for a first visit and \$4 for subsequent ones.

A complete physical examination will continue to cost \$10. However the patient will have to pay extra for blood and urine tests which formerly were included in the \$10 charge.

The new schedule, if accepted by the 525,000-member MSA, would add an estimated \$800,000 to the plan's annual costs.

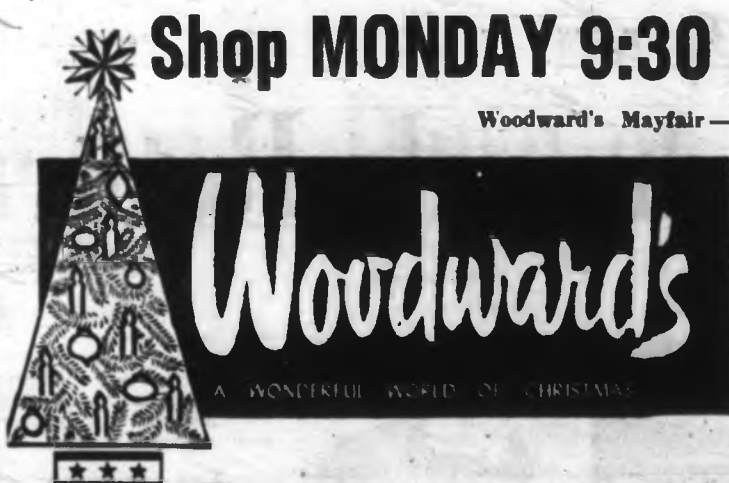
MSA pays doctors only 90 per cent of the scheduled fee for each service. The doctors' bills to MSA would actually increase by about \$890,000.

MSA last year paid out \$16,000,000 to doctors on behalf of its members. The doctors' bills totalled \$17,777,777.

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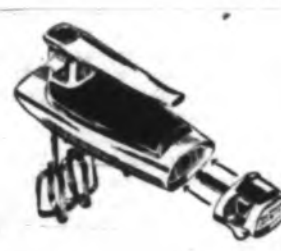
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Plomer Case: The Admirals Return Fire

Commodore James Plomer fired a powerful broadside against the Royal Canadian Navy in an article in a September issue of Maclean's.

Subsequently, both he and his principal target, Vice-Admiral H. S. Rayner, then Chief of Staff, testified before the Commons special committee on defence. Rayner's replies to Plomer's charges on that occasion were restrained, largely on security grounds.

But the lips of Rayner, and other senior officers, are now unsealed. And in these excerpts from a lengthy article in the current issue of Saturday Night, the Navy has its say.

By THE EDITORS OF SATURDAY NIGHT

For an unmilitary nation, Canada certainly gets its neck in a knot over defence matters: two conscription crises, the Currie Report on the Army, the cancelling of the Avro Arrow for the Air Force and now the Plomer affair about the Navy.

On the face of it, Commodore James Plomer (Retd) appears to be the spokesman for the dissident, down-trodden elements in the Navy.

Last year when a vacancy in the rank of rear-admiral occurred Plomer thought the promotion was his for the asking. He was acting as Naval Comptroller, which usually carries the rank. But he didn't get it.

Feeling personally mistreated, he saw then Chief of Naval Staff, Vice-Admiral H. S. Rayner privately and, from all accounts, blew up.

Ignored

Starting from his denial of rank he went on to account a whole flow of grievances maintaining that for much of his career his recommendations had been cavalierly ignored.

This, he said, was due to the fact that he had entered the Navy as a reservist officer. Now even more he felt he was being kept out of executive control and flag rank by a self-perpetuating club of cadet entry career admirals.

Contending that he was no longer any use to the Navy, he asked to be released "to promote economy and efficiency."

Rayner, ignoring the animosity of a reservist for regular officer cadets, urged the Commodore not to allow understandable disappointment at not attaining flag rank at that moment to jeopardize his future career.

To the Top

Plomer was not to be denied, however, and wrote to Harkness, direct, demanding that a long list of complaints be investigated.

Mr. Harkness saw Plomer and called for a full report on the Navy on matters about which Plomer had complained.

Mr. Harkness, like Rayner, tried to convince him that his actions in no way reduced his usefulness. But Plomer was still adamant and on Rayner's recommendation, Harkness approved the Commodore's release.

He was retired on full pension (\$7,500 a year) and so sacrificed nothing to get himself into the limelight with his charges.

The Facts

Plomer alleges the admirals lack operational service at sea experience. Let's see how this stands up.

	Months	Days
Rear-Admiral D. W. Piers	151	21
Rear-Admiral M. G. Stirling	130	17
Vice-Admiral DeWolf (Retd)	127	6
Rear-Admiral W. M. Landymore	122	29
Vice-Admiral Rayner	122	23
Rear-Admiral K. L. Dyer	122	18
Rear-Admiral Brook	90	22
Commodore Plomer (Retd)	78	29

To support his contention that the admirals form an incompetent, self-perpetuating club in which there is a dismal lack of integrity, the Commodore claims they favor their own kind, that is, cadet entries, at the expense of competent reservists.

More Facts

The facts again do not support him. In the senior ranks of the navy, cadet entry accounts for not many more than half of the total number. Here is a table:

	No. Cadet Entry	Serv. Entry
Admirals	9	3
Commodores	23	10
Captains	96	21
	98	37

Though service on the lower deck does not necessarily fit men for the higher ranks—a good, able-bodied seaman does as he's told, a good commodore knows how to tell others—many of the junior ranks of the navy have been chosen from the lower deck:

Rank	Originally Lower Deck	Total No. of Officers in each Rank
Lt.-Comdr.	291	882
Lieutenant	357	922
Sub-Lt.	23	301
Act. Sub-Lt	134	151

And of the total officers serving in all ranks, just under a third come from the lower deck. Even in the senior lists there are people of lower deck origin, the most interesting of whom is Rear-Admiral P. D. Budge.

'Budgie'

"Budgie" as an entire defence establishment affectionately calls him, is an ex-boy seaman, who rose to become a powerful influence on the selection of the navy's senior officers.

In fact, from July 1960 until he retired from the RCN in September 1963 he was chief of Naval personnel, and as such had the responsibility of short-listing, for the naval board's consideration, commodores for promotion to flag rank.

In other words, when Plomer's bid to become an admiral was made, the most important decision about him was not made by an implacable enemy of reservists and enlisted men, a custodian of the self-perpetuating cadet entry club, but by an ex-cabin boy.

Very Upset

Budge is very upset about Plomer's antics, and enlarged on his attitude towards them in talking to us recently.

"Jamie's been tilting at windmills for years. Now he's gone too far. If the naval board was self-selecting and self-perpetuating, how could I have joined it?"

"Besides, the cabinet is never slow in showing its interest in who should be the chief of naval staff. The minister of national defence, the deputy minister and chairman, chiefs of staff (now an air marshal) are also intimately involved in who should be the admirals to fill the naval board."

"During my time as chief of naval personnel I was chief upon to submit to the chief of naval staff and the minister the names of six officers recommended for promotion from commodore to rear-admiral. Five were approved and received their appointments. The sixth was dropped because the vacancy evaporated during an economy drive."

What Club?

"What club is this that Commodore Plomer has got himself incensed about? An ex-lower deck officer like myself is not only admitted, but is given the authority to vet new applicants!"

"When senior positions were to be filled, I reviewed the careers of all officers in the navy who could be considered for promotion. When I had a short list I would have to take it to the chief of naval staff, who would question me at length on why I had removed some names from the lists and included others."

"I never enjoyed these sessions, as they were designed to test my convictions. I felt under constant attack. But the system is sound, because it leaves no room for favoritism or the injection of personalities. Experience, ability to lead and to command are the prime qualifications."

"But I had always to consider the possibility that additional responsibility might bring out hidden weaknesses in some candidates."

"Commodore Plomer knows perfectly well that the RCN has one of the best promotion systems of any navy. He knows, too, precisely why he was not promoted to rear-admiral—and it had nothing to do with clubs, Mafias or Tammany Hall complexes."



BUDGE



MAINGUY



RAYNER

So much then for Plomer's attacks on the system of promotion and his obsession against career admirals. What of some of his other charges?

In his attacks on the naval establishments he singled out the apathy in the navy towards the Mainguy Report. He said:

"The Mainguy Report... was a masterpiece of perception... On this document, on this Magna Carta, an effective navy with a high morale and enthusiasm could have been built. But it was not... Only a few of the Mainguy recommendations were implemented. When E. R. Mainguy himself became chief of naval staff, he failed to implement the findings he had signed."

The Facts

There were 42 recommendations in the Mainguy Report. Thirty-two have been fully implemented, four have been partly implemented, three have been carried out differently from the manner recommended, and three still await action. These last concern pay and allowances which are beyond the Navy's authority.

Admiral Mainguy, suffering from the unique distinction of having been both blessed and damned by Plomer, prefers the company of the damned.

He told us: "The great majority of the commission's recommendations were taken in hand pretty quickly. In fact, some recommendations were being carried out before we had finished writing the report. When I became chief of naval staff, the process was continuing."

"I'm satisfied that the spirit and purpose of the commission have been understood by the navy and followed through wherever possible..."

Refuted

Even such a blanket accusation then, as Plomer's against the Mainguy Report, can be easily refuted. Some of his more specific complaints are even more ludicrous.

For example he claims that the aircraft carrier Bonaventure was "loaded down and modernized" with obsolete Bofors guns" at great expense. The fact? Well, when the Bonaventure was commissioned in 1957, it was realized that she would be used by the Senior Canadian Officer Afloat in the Atlantic as a headquarters ship, and would therefore be visited by foreign dignitaries when Canada was showing the flag abroad. International practice and courtesy demands that such VIPs be saluted.

In order to save the Bonaventure's main armament, which consists of eight 3-inch 50-calibre anti-aircraft guns on four twin-mountings, two (repeated) old Bofors were rescued from the scrap-heap and mounted, one on each side, as saluting guns...

Plomer continued his

theme that ships are neglected with impunity by saying: "I do not know of a single case where a commanding officer has faced a board of inquiry for even the grossest neglect of his ship."

He failed to add that during his command of the Atlantic fleet three of his commanding officers were convicted by courts-martial for negligently hazarding their ships, and six more were witnesses at six of 12 boards of inquiry which dealt with other charges involving neglect.

He has complained bitterly that in this period the Atlantic fleet was in a poor state of readiness. Ships broke down, equipment failed and morale was low. He gives the impression of a crippled fleet staggering from one base to another, never quite sure how many of the ships afloat at night would be gone by morning.

Open Words

The views he expressed at the time tell a different story. Here is a press dispatch from his headquarters during the 1960 winter exercises which quotes him in reference to the fleet's performance:

"Never better and ships showing excellent progress in anti-submarine warfare training. Further, the Canadian sailor has proved himself second to none for endurance, hard work, cheerfulness, and an excellent representative of his country."

That's what he said in 1960. At the end of the exercises the fleet sailed to Norfolk, Virginia, headquarters of SACLANF, for the fourth annual NATO symposium on anti-submarine warfare. Using a British submarine as an "enemy," the fleet conducted the demonstration as a single force under the scrutiny of 16 NATO flag officers and 100 allied staff officers.

Big Success

"The symposium went off most successfully," reported Plomer at its conclusion. "We had a tremendous reception in Norfolk."

After a 1961 winter anti-submarine exercise, carried out jointly with British and United States forces, Plomer reported: "War games produced a copy book submarine kill... a perfect example of complete joint co-operation."

He says now that the Navy's ineffectiveness "amounts to a national scandal"...

Cuba was an emergency. Of the 38 ships in the Atlantic...

ship-days for repairs, an average of only eight days per ship for the year.

This paints a somewhat different picture from that painted by Plomer—of ships breaking down right and left whenever they went to sea.

Lone Opinion

But accuracy is not, as we have said, one of Plomer's qualities. This is spectacularly true of his dismissal of the Navy's latest anti-aircraft gun, the 3-inch 70-calibre, as a senseless waste of money.

Certainly his opinion is not shared by naval technical experts in Britain, the United States, Canada and West Germany...

It would be inconceivable, of course, that the commodore's wide-ranging attack should not include some elements of truth and proper concern.

There are deficiencies in the Navy as there are in civilian concerns... The root of all these evils is money. And the Naval Board does not control that; the Treasury Board does.

The sinister thing to many people is the silence of the Minister of Defence. Does his silence mean agreement with Plomer?

Not at all. The Commodore's

How?

Plomer has since stated that even if the ships did sail they were ineffective because their guns wouldn't work, and added... there would have been ships coming back from sea in 24 hours, 36 hours, 48 hours, five days with breakdowns and mechanical troubles."

When a member of the Parliamentary Defence Committee asked if he had personal knowledge of this, he replied "yes." How could he? He had been commanding a desk in Ottawa for some time and had gone on retirement leave several weeks before the Cuban crisis.

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South Africa Clamps Down on the Arts

By MARQ DE VILLIERS

"The life of the mind in our century will die of 'safe-guards' cynically imposed to stop people thinking."

So writes South African author Nadine Gordimer of that country's new censorship law — the Publications and Entertainment Act which was amended and strengthened this month.

The act is aimed at art which "corrupts and depraves public morals" (the standard wording of all censorship laws everywhere).

But this one has a second aim — to back up apartheid, racial separation, and to banish from the public eye everything that smacks of amiable inter-racial relations.

In control of the act is a nine-member Publications

Control Board which now decides what is "suitable" for public consumption.

Only three members are in the act's words "persons having special knowledge of art, language and literature or the administration of justice."

The other six are laymen with no special knowledge but their own politically acceptable prejudices.

Not one board member is English-speaking in a country where 90 per cent of the films, plays and books are imported from Britain or the United States.

Anyone (and that includes cranks, illiterates and bigots) now can complain to the board about public entertainment and the board can rule on it.

If the board rules against a producer or author the onus is then on those charged to appeal the decision.

"It is now suggested that any imbecile out of malice or idiosyncrasy may charge me before a mysterious body of whose taste I know nothing. And this body may interfere with my tastes and style. This is unendurable."

Appeal is possible except for movie makers, who, for some unexplained reason, are denied recourse to the courts.

The board, in its first heady sniff of intoxicating power, rejected the Broadway hit *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?* slammed the movie *South Pacific* and banned hundreds of normally acceptable books and magazines.

More clearly than most censorship acts, this one spells out its purpose: to stop people thinking, believing or feeling the chill bite of truth.

(Telegram News Service)

Entertainment Parade

Theatre Groups Abandon Split Runs, Pews

By BERT BINNY

Two of Victoria's bigger theatrical groups are shaking things up a bit.

Victoria Theatre Guild has decided to abandon its present divided-run format—three nights one week and the last four nights the next—in favor of a continuous run.

The new Victoria Theatre Studio has installed 50 theatre seats to replace most of the church pews it has been using—and will raise prices for these seats after Christmas.

The Theatre Guild production of *Seven Year Itch* reopens Wednesday at 8:15 in the Langham Court Theatre for four nights. *Alice in Wonderland* and *The Inspector General* are on the program at the Theatre Studio.

The 1964 Victoria music festival syllabus now is available at leading music stores, with 296 classes, compared to 285 this year. The return of organ classes makes up most of the increase; entries for all classes close Feb. 15.

Live opera comes to Victoria this afternoon and Monday evening.

The Victoria Symphony Orchestra joins forces with the Canadian Opera Company to present Mozart's *Così fan Tutte* today at 3 p.m. and Monday at 8:30 in the Royal Theatre.

Musical direction is by Otto Werner-Mueller and the opera headliners are Vancouver soprano Heather Thompson and bass Jan Rubes.

Appearing for a return engagement at the Secret Coffee House next weekend will be Tom Drury, the popular folk singer from Salt Lake City.

The Secret plans to stay open through the Christmas season, beginning Dec. 17, and will close only Dec. 24 and 25.

The annual carol tea of the Musical Art Society takes place in the Empress Hotel at 3:45 p.m. Saturday.

Performers will be the Barclay Junior choir. This choir and the senior Barclay Singers will perform in Oak Bay United Church Hall at 8:15 p.m. Dec. 17.

Christmas Fantasy, a musical variety show produced by Phyllis Orchard, begins at 7:45 p.m. Saturday in Sidney's Sancha Hall.

Featured performers will include the North Saanich High School band, Vivian Briggs dancers, Ceredwyn Richards, Roy Silver, Rae Burns dancers, accordionist Paul Paquin, tenor Rino Elverhoy, Holy Trinity boys' choir, St. Paul's senior choir, St. Paul's Sunday School and junior choir and instrumentalists from Deep Cove Elementary School.

The evening will end with community carol singing. Christmas charities supported by the participating organizations are to benefit from the proceeds.

Famous Artists retire from Victoria's crowded entertainment scene until January, with Carnelia Otis Skinner on the 13th and Donald Bell on the 19th.

His Flings Far-Flung

MUSSELBURGH, Scotland (AP)—Charles Stewart Wood, inventor of 33 dances, including the Fris de Erin Waltz and the Waverly Two Step, died at 87. He spent some time in the South Sea Islands teaching Scottish Highland dances to the Fiji Islanders.

Jews in Iraq Told to Report

BAGHDAD, Iraq (Reuters)—All Jews living in Iraq must report to the department of travel and nationalities within the next 10 days to preserve their Iraqi nationality, according to a new law published Friday. The law was passed by the cabinet and published in the official gazette.



HITCHCOCK

Variation on Old Theme

Master of Shock Switches to Sex

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Pudgy, provocative Alfred Hitchcock is filming a new movie and it appears there is still some shock left in the old master.

Once concerned with cloak-and-dagger doings, Hitchcock has lately dealt with sex. His new film *Marnie* will offer some variation on the ancient theme. His heroine is a sophisticated beauty who is a compulsive thief and frigid.

This role for which Grace Kelly was supposed to end her film retirement. Her second thoughts are perhaps understandable.

SUB FOR KELLY

Subbing for Kelly is Tippi Hedren, apparently recovered from her bout with *The Birds*. The confused but forceful husband is played by Sean Connery, the virile Scotsman who has scored a hit as James Bond in the Ian Fleming detective series.

"*Marnie* is symptomatic of the American female; she is basically frigid," Hitchcock said. "There is a vast amount of difference between appearance and actuality in the American woman. She is schooled from childhood by magazines and advertisements to make herself seem alluring and sexy."

"But alas, her inhibitions are too great. There is in this country a long tradition of puritanism. There is also a lack of sophistication."

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Hitchcock views the matter of female allure on a geographical basis:



EDIE ADAMS

Edie Works Her Way Out of Massive Debt

By SHEILA GRAHAM

HOLLYWOOD (NANA)—Edie Adams has completed her self-appointed task: to pay off the debts of her late husband, comedian-actor Ernie Kovacs, killed just three years ago in an automobile accident.

"I had been more or less coasting with my career during our marriage," Edie told me in the \$50,000 den built by Ernie to hold all of his treasures.

"After he died, instead of the large sums of money everyone expected would be available because of the expensive way in which we lived, I learned that he owed about \$500,000 in income tax to the government, and a large sum to ABC.

"All of Ernie's friends, Frank Sinatra, Milton Berle, Billie Wilder and so many others, wanted to have a big benefit for me. I appreciated what they wanted to do. But I don't ever want charity."

The only solution was for me to go to work at top speed. I worked very hard to get rid of the debts. Every cent of the income tax owed has been paid back. Now I am in the clear, and in February when

I finish the rest of my present commitments, I'll take a vacation."

The vacation will come after three long years of incredibly hard work. In the space of 16 months, Edie starred in five pictures.

At this very moment Edie is in Las Vegas, singing for four weeks in a night club. After that she goes to Florida.

Her television shows are filmed non-stop. Nineteen half hours for this season, alternating with Sid Caesar; eight shows last year. And guest appearances on every top program from Bob Hope to Red Skelton.

At the Riviera in Vegas, Edie is wearing the sable pyjamas she wore to the Hollywood premiere of *It's a Mad World*. "They are really crazy." They cost her \$12,000.

"I learned from Ernie that money is something you do not save. If you have it, enjoy it. On our vacations we would always see older people. They can't enjoy it," Ernie used to say. "Now is the time, when you are young."

Rex Harrison, Alias Higgins, Alias Caesar

He's Spent Five Years in Two Roles

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Rex Harrison has devoted almost five years of his acting career to playing two roles: Henry Higgins and Julius Caesar.

Academy voters will be balloting on half of Harrison's achievement next spring and it's possible his portrayal of Caesar in *Cleopatra* will be named 1963's best.

He's finishing up his 1,007th performance in *My Fair Lady*, this one for the screen.

"It's difficult to imagine that it is finally coming to an end," Harrison said. "As you near the finish, you start yearning for it to be over. But hard work remains to be done."

"I still have to do I've Grown Accustomed to Your Face and it's a most difficult number. It helps to explain Higgins and is very important to the plot. On the stage it was easier because

"When Lerner and Loewe first proposed the play to me, they showed me the old movie of the original, *Pygmalion*, with Leslie Howard. I must say he was marvelous in it, and I agreed to it. Then I went about creating the character my own way."

Caesar, to whom Harrison devoted a full year of filming, was something else again.

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Mobile Anthony Quinn shows his latest toy to an interested Ingrid Bergman during a break in filming in Rome. The two stars are currently making *The Visit*. It will be the first time they have appeared together on the screen.—(Fednews.)

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Saturday—Alice in Wonderland, Victoria Theatre Studio, 1 p.m.

Saturday—Musical Art Society carol tea, Empress Hotel, 3:45 p.m.

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To Co-Star

Two of Hollywood's most famous stars meet for the first time as Bette Davis, left, and Susan Hayward arrive at studio to begin filming *Where Love Has Gone*, in which they will co-star. Between them, these two stars have a total of no fewer than 15 Academy Award nominations. — (AP Photofax.)

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Soft Soap Detergents Will Not Foul Rivers

WASHINGTON (AP) — David C. Melnickoff, president of Fels and Company, told the U.S. Congress Friday that the soap industry is switching to soft detergents that will not foul up rivers and wells with foam. Melnickoff, president of the U.S. Soap and Detergent Association, testified at a hearing of the House of Representatives public works committee which is considering legislation to place federal control on detergents that pollute streams.



B.C. Farm Output Stays High in '63

Agricultural production in British Columbia remained at the record high level of recent years in 1963, despite unfavorable weather in the growing

season, the provincial agricultural department said Friday. A department statement on crop conditions said 1963 saw some softening in prices, "but returns generally reflected a

continued steady market demand for all major items."

Seeded acreage of grain crops went up some 20,000 acres from the 1962 total, with most of the increase coming in the Peace River area. However, drought conditions in the summer months reduced crop yields 30 per cent, to only 7,700,000 bushels.

HAY CROP DOWN

The cool spring and dry summer also reduced the hay crop to an estimated 800,000 tons.

A levelling-off in dairy cow herds was judged responsible for a four-per-cent decline in milk production. It was the first time in 12 years that production in the dairy industry had failed to rise.

On the other hand, the statement said, egg production rose by four per cent under the stimulus of steady consumer demand and firmer prices. And production of poultry meat, chiefly broiler chickens, rose 10 per cent.

BEEF CATTLE STEADY

In the livestock industry, production of beef cattle remained fairly steady throughout the year, although the calf market softened during the summer.

Exports of feeder cattle to United States and prairie customers continued steady.

Highlight of the year among tree fruits was a sharp increase in yields of apples and pears. The apple crop totalled 9,000,000 boxes — up 40 per cent from 1962 — and pear production jumped 47 per cent.

Production of all small fruits except strawberries was well above the 1962 figures, raspberries rising 38 per cent.

Reduced plantings of potatoes, onions and tomatoes was blamed for an over-all decline in vegetable production.

'Guiding Light' Dimmed

Pay Spiral in U.K.?

LONDON (Reuters)—Britain's Conservative government is keeping a close watch on a new round of pay increases that could threaten its wages policy controlling the present boom.

The government's "guiding light" figure of 3½ per cent for annual increases seems likely, on the basis of current negotiations, to be brushed aside in favor of a five-per-cent rate.

Government fears of a major breach on the pay front arise largely from a big increase awarded last week to the 3,000,000 engineering workers who make up about 12 per cent of the country's work force.

The government has turned this settlement over to the National Income Commission, a body not recognized by the Trades Union Congress, for study.

The engineers will get a pay boost of just over five per cent, and the award is likely to be regarded by other unions as flashing a go-ahead signal for bigger salary claims.

A new railway award is on its way and Britain's rail chief, Richard Beeching, is reported ready to make an outright offer of five or six per cent to the unions on condition they accept the settlement at once.

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Business Topics

Stocks Rise But West Losing Out

By HARRY YOUNG
Colonist Business Editor

An eastern financial paper is running into criticism among local investors and its western readers for its recent policy in "tipping" an individual stock, every week, or every two weeks, as an extra special good buy.

The paper gives great prominence to its selection, and in recent weeks the "horses" it has chosen have made a quick advance on widespread buying.

The western complaint is that news of the newspaper's selection is known to individuals in Toronto before it is known in other parts of the country.

"We suspect that people in the know in the East are making a quick profit by trading

Market Value Rose

The market value of some of these shares rose as much as two points after their selection, and some of them have retained their gains. Others, however, have been inclined to slip back.

What can be done about it? Nobody's breaking the law. I guess those in the west will just have to grin and bear it.

The loss of the contract to make heavy water for the Atomic Energy Commission of Canada may have been a hard blow for Western Deuterium Company and its Victoria president, Harold Hubbard, but if it is any consolation to them, I heard of one company

which withdrew from the bidding because it did not like the conditions.

Under the contract the government of Canada undertakes to buy 20 tons a year of heavy water for a period of five years, but there is no further guarantee.

"My firm withdrew when it could not get a satisfactory answer to the question as to whether further sales contracts would be made if at the end of the five-year period the government's AEC was left with a substantial amount of the 1,000 tons of the contract still unused," said the spokesman for one eastern firm.

Orders Not Renewed

In view of what happened a few years ago to the uranium mining industry when orders from the U.S. government were not renewed and many Canadian companies were forced to close their mines and mills—particularly in the Elliot Lake region—it is perhaps not unreasonable that there should be a "once-bitten, twice-shy" attitude to the heavy water deal.

Despite this, all western Canada is angry at the decision of the federal cabinet to give the contract to an American-owned firm which will use heavily subsidized Canadian raw materials—mainly coal—to bring its price down to the level at which Western Deuterium was able to do the job—without taxpayers' aid in subvention or subsidy—and with an all-Canadian capitalization.

It is now no secret that Western Deuterium was planning to site the plant in Saskatchewan, where the alternatives of coal or natural gas were readily available, but the construction contracts would have brought work to all the

western provinces, and particularly to the shipyards of the west coast, where the order outlook is blacker than it has been for many years.

Says the Victoria Credit Bureau—"People with money miss one of life's greatest thrills... paying the last installment."

Weston Sees Big Year

LONDON (CP) — Garfield Weston predicted Friday that the 1963-64 fiscal year will see the greatest sales increase in the history of his Associated British Foods Company. The Canadian told the annual meeting of shareholders that the increase for the full year should push total sales to around \$600,000,000.

Cow Halts Train

NAPLES, Italy (UPI) — The Rome-Palermo express train was held up in Naples station for several minutes last Friday while railwaymen helped a cow deliver her calf in the cattle car.

Big Expansion at Crofton

Further expansion of B.C. Forest Products pulp mill at Crofton has been completed at cost of \$6,400,000. Also building is \$25,000,000 newsprint mill to be completed next August. (Ryan Bros. photo from Vancouver Island Helicopters)

Vital to Industry

Water Is Valuable Must Be Conserved

By ED TREFTAK

CALGARY (CP)—Thinking of building a pulp mill? An irrigation ditch, perhaps, a hydro-electric power plant?

Then you'll probably recognize the importance of a lively little building in east Calgary—the federal resources department's water current meter rating and experimental station.

Superintendent Ted Chapman and his staff are charged with keeping in top shape hundreds of delicate instruments used by the federal and provincial governments and private companies to record the volume of water flowing in Canada's rivers and streams.

Small differences in the

"Most people don't realize it because we have so much of it, but water is a fantastically important commodity," said Mr. Chapman. "We will eventually reach the point where every drop must be used carefully and thoughtfully."

Why measure water flow? "Here's an example," said Mr. Chapman. "A company planned to set up a pulp mill near a stream. To dissolve their effluent (waste) they needed a certain flow of water."

"Then they found out by comparison of records they couldn't get sufficient flow to move the

effluent, and as a result the plant was built on another site. . . .

"When Calgary Power Ltd. planned its new station on the Brazeau River (150 miles north-east of Calgary) they needed to know how much water would be available all year round, the peak flow, the lowest flow they could expect, and what they could expect in the next 50 years."

The station's main job is repairing and calibrating meters used for measuring water currents. The simple-looking metal instruments, hand-built in the United States at a cost of \$125, are easily thrown off balance.

Small differences in the rotary cups of the instruments means that each has a peculiar rate of turning in the same water velocity, he said.

Therefore, the station must produce a chart for each meter showing what water velocity produces what number of revolutions a minute. To make these measurements, meters are suspended from a car which runs along a 450-foot tank of still water.

"Everyone in Canada who uses these instruments comes to us," said Mr. Chapman. "The only other station in North America is at the Bureau of Standards in Washington."

B.C. Sugar Firm's Profit Increases By \$591,519

VANCOUVER (CP) — B.C. winter which cut the European Sugar Refining Co. Ltd. had a net profit of \$2,780,018 for the year ended Sept. 30, a gain of \$591,519 over the previous year.

The increase in operating profit was even higher but sharply cut by higher provision for income taxes. Operation profit was \$10,084,271 compared to \$5,670,945 for the previous year.

Provision for income taxes was \$5,307,000 against \$2,023,000 in 1962.

Forrest Rogers, B.C. Sugar president, in his report also dealt with the situation created this year by sharply fluctuating world sugar prices.

He attributed sharp increases to four factors: increase in world population; higher consumption through improved living standards in many countries; severe cold in the 1961-62

winter which cut the European beet sugar production, and the loss of production from Cuba.

"Until recently the company based its selling price on world market prices for raw sugar," Rogers said.

"This policy worked well during periods of relatively stable raw sugar markets, but when raw sugar prices fluctuate violently the results of company operations can also fluctuate violently upward and downward."

He said B.C. Sugar this fall abandoned the previous practice of directly following world prices and "froze" its prices at the level prevailing on Oct. 18. "How long we will be able to maintain this level remains to be seen, but in the meantime the company and growers feel that this voluntary step is in the best interests of all concerned," he said.

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Lawyers Deplore TV Trial for Ruby

CHICAGO (CP)—The American Bar Association said Saturday it deprecates proposals to televise the trial of Jack Ruby on charges of killing President Kennedy's alleged assassin.

The association said a televised trial would inevitably lead to additional sensationalism, impairing the judicial process.

Accused Assassin's Wife

Mrs. Oswald Breaks Down, Cries

DALLAS (AP)—Some President Kennedy's accused assassin, cries for her two young children.

But it's safe to assume her life is anything but normal, especially since the chain of events that began Nov. 22 with the murder of the president

and lightning-like death of her husband 48 hours later.

Since her pre-Marxist husband died in a quick blaze of gunfire in front of television cameras, Secret Service agents have kept her whereabouts secret.

But Friday word got to the public that Marina, who speaks only broken English,

"wants to be an American and continue to live here."

Mrs. Leona Williamson, 25, a Fort Worth housewife who started a drive for funds to Marina and the children, said so far \$7,700 had been received. The money was turned over to the Secret Service which then took it to Mrs. Oswald.

The agents were quoted by Mrs. Williamson as saying:

"She (Mrs. Oswald) just broke down and cried. She said, in broken English, 'I didn't believe the people in America, the people anywhere, could be this nice.'"

"A very nice, highly intelligent woman who is real enthusiastic to learn the ways of America—she wants to be an American and continue to live here." This was the way Mrs. Williamson said the agents described Mrs. Oswald.

Assassination Report Will Be Kept Secret

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Government sources said Saturday the FBI report on the assassination of President Kennedy and his accused killer, Lee Harvey Oswald, probably will be kept under top secret wraps for at least another week.

The additional delay was decided upon to allow the blue ribbon investigation commission, headed by Chief Justice Earl Warren to study the report. But further details of the bizarre background of Oswald prior to the Nov. 22 tragedy at Dallas, Texas, continued to crop up.

The latest was a report that further evidence has been found linking Oswald to the sniper attempt on the life of right-wing former Maj.-Gen. Edwin A. Walker in Dallas last April.

The Chicago Sun-Times said the FBI has found a document among Oswald's effects in which

the former marine wrote of trying to kill Walker.

On the night of April 10, a rifle bullet was fired through a window of Walker's home, narrowly missing the former general who is now an ardent advocate of conservative causes.

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Generations of Pembertons

Several generations of descendants of first B.C. surveyor-general J. D. Pemberton were on hand when 4.34-acre sports park, Pemberton Park, was officially opened yesterday by Ald. Millard Mooney. Once part of Pemberton farm, area was later known as Pemberton Woods. From left are a granddaughter of J. D. Pemberton, Mrs. H. Cuthbert Holmes; great-grandson Vincent Holmes; great-grandson David Pemberton; great-grandson John Thompson, and grandson Massey Pemberton.—(Robin Clarke)

Turkey Dinners

Sally Ann Plans Bright Christmas For Lonely Men

By BOB PETHICK

Victoria's lonely men who have happier memories of past Christmases will be given a Christmas to remember this year by the Salvation Army's Harbor Light Corps on Christmas Day.

Major and Mrs. H. G. Wright are planning a turkey dinner

and have made arrangements that each man attending the Christmas party will be presented with a small gift at the close of the party.

NO CHARGE

There is no admission charge. Tickets are available at the Harbor Light Corps headquarters, 516 Yates.

"We know there are many men in Victoria on Christmas Day who have no one to visit or no place to go," said Major Wright. "They are probably sitting around with memories of loved ones. This way they will be eating and celebrating Christmas with people."

NO NEED

There is no need for people to leave their names. All they have to do is to stop in at the Harbor Light and pick up a ticket.

In the past generous people have helped the Salvation Army provide this service by donating food or money toward the lonely men's banquet.

Anyone wishing to help should get in touch with Major Wright at the Harbor Light, 384-3396.

Militiamen Test Today

About 100 members of Victoria militia group units will participate in a simulated re-entry exercise today as part of their national survival training.

Under the scheme, militiamen leave the city in the face of imminent attack and practice re-entering an area which has been the site of a nuclear attack.

In this case, the soldiers will move to Duncan and test communications while returning to Victoria.

History Burned

OSHAWA, Ont. (UPI)—Firemen burned down a remnant of Canadian history yesterday—a 162-year-old house which historians say was used to house U.S. prisoners being taken to Quebec during the war of 1812. It was burned to enable recruits to practice fire-fighting.

3,600 People

Smooth Army-RCAF Operation Moved PPCLI Without Hitch

By DON GAIN

The rotation of 3,600 men, wives and children of the 1st Battalion, PPCLI, and 1st Battalion, Queen's Own Regiment of Canada between Victoria and Fort McLeod, Germany, has been a successful operation, movements officer Capt. John Lias, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps told me in Dusseldorf before I embarked for home Friday.

"Everybody's happy about it," he said.

"And everybody includes, in addition to the two battalions, RCASC and RCAF personnel who have been instrumental in carrying out the rotation."

ENTIRELY BY AIR

"This is the first rotation we've done entirely by air," Capt. B. A. Wallis, RCASC, told me yesterday when I arrived in Trenton.

As Capt. Lias said earlier in Dusseldorf, "It was well organized in both Work Point and Fort McLeod."

MOVING BACK

Special RCASC personnel assigned to Germany for the rotation are moving back to Canada now that it is complete. Several were on board as we prepared to take off from Dusseldorf on Friday.

One of them was 2nd Lieut. Barry Phillips, 21, son of Mrs. Joan Phillips, 2183 Central, on his way back to Winnipeg after a six-week stint at Fort McLeod.

"I liked the way the RCASC personnel who were sent out from all over Canada worked together here in Germany right from the start."

ONLY HITCH

The only hitch he had experienced was a bus breakdown which delayed a flight for almost an hour.

As he said it our pilot announced that there would be a slight delay. Ten minutes later

he said a small piece of equipment was unserviceable and we would be delayed an hour or two.

Five hours later we were airborne. But in those five hours, Capt. Lias had arranged for the necessary part to be flown over from Marville, France, kept 108 passengers informed on progress, and arranged for them to travel into Dusseldorf to the Hotel Eden for a delicious meal, all with a minimum of fuss and a maximum of consideration.

At 9:45 p.m., as we flew over Belfast, Ireland, I was discussing the situation with passenger Lt.-Col. Frank Sergi, attached to the Canadian delegation to NATO in Paris.

"The army and air force men were just doing a job," he said, "and probably treated

it as routine. But I can't help being impressed with them. I think they deserve a lot of credit."

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Alois Sajn Funeral On Tuesday

Funeral services for Alois (Eric) Sajn, 26, who died suddenly Friday, will be held at 9 a.m. Tuesday in St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Mr. Sajn came to Canada from Medjimlje, Yugoslavia, in 1958, and was apprenticed and qualified here as a carpenter. He was married four months ago to Grace Hobbis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hobbis, 934 Page.

He is survived by his widow; a brother, Joe, in Victoria; a sister in Australia; his parents, two brothers and two sisters in Yugoslavia.

A prayer service will be held at 6:30 p.m. Monday at Sands.

Meetings In Victoria

● Will Gray, staff photographer for the provincial government, will show a film directed and produced by himself at a meeting of the Rotary Club of Douglas in the Tully-Ho Travelodge at 6 p.m. Monday.

● Police Chief J. F. Gregory will be guest speaker at a meeting of the Gyro Club of Victoria in the Empress Hotel at noon Monday.

● A program of entertainment will be featured at the last meeting of the year of the Prospect Lake District and Community Association in Prospect Lake School at 8 p.m. Monday.

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Rams Cooled, 31-14

Green Bay Fans Hopes

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Full-back Jim Taylor swept 40 yards for the go-ahead touchdown in the third quarter Saturday as Green Bay defeated Los Angeles Rams 31-14 to keep Packers' hopes alive in the National Football League title chase.

The champion Packers trailed the surprising Rams 14-10 at halftime.

But a third period jinx caught up with the Rams as quarterback Bart Starr directed Green Bay to two touchdowns in that period.

In the hectic third Packers' Herb Adderley and Los Angeles' Jim Phillips were kicked out of the game after a brief exchange that flared the Rams start end.

Starr connected with his favorite target, Max McGee, for three touchdowns on passes of 25, 16 and 13, and place-kicker Jerry Kramer kicked a 40-yard field goal.

The victory left Green Bay with a season record of 10-2-1. Packers went into the game trailing Chicago Bears by half a game. The Bears play San

Carber Shannon's 53-yard run-back of a Green Bay kickoff set up the first, with Dick Bass scoring from the three.

Roman Gabriel lofted a long pass to Ben Wilson for 43 yards to set up the second Ram touchdown. Gabriel went the final yard.

Today's Games

New York Giants play Washington Redskins on Channel 1 and 6 and Chicago Bears meet San Francisco 49ers on Channels 1 and 12 in televised NFL games today at 11. San Diego Chargers play Oakland Raiders in an AFL game on Channel 4 at 1:30 p.m.



VIEWS of SPORT

By Red Smith

NEW YORK (Friday)—The melancholy days, as the man says, are come. Or anyway, they're immediately around the corner.

Tomorrow afternoon when 100,000 witnesses to the Army-Navy football game have walked, staggered, or been poured out of Philadelphia Stadium, when Joey Giardello and Dick Tiger are flexing their muscles and watching the clock in Atlantic City, a scene of infinite sadness will be enacted on the meadows brown and sere at East Ozone Park, L.I.

A horse will win the ninth race at Aqueduct, the 2014th run this year under the benign aegis of the New York Racing Association. When the stewards have rejected Mike Sorrentino's claim of foul and the heartless verdict, "Official," lights up in the gloom, 40,000 immortal souls will tear their mutual tickets to bits, sigh heavily, and make their mournful way toward home, hearth, and loved ones.

The children will have grown since March 20, and perhaps grown weary of cold cereal three times a day, but their desolate sire won't notice. There is no creature so forlorn as the horseplayer when the racing season's 224 golden days have fled and he's going to be stuck with money the cruel winter long.

Now in the hour of need comes the horseplayer's friend, David F. Woods, of Baltimore. For years Dave Woods, as publisher for Pimlico and other tracks, put up with the whims of hundreds of turf writers, and it is a measure of the man that even this did not exhaust his store of compassion.

To ease the winters of the horseplayer's discontent, he has brought out "The Fireside Book of Racing" (Simon & Schuster, \$3.95)—a "sweetheart."

To be sure, not every horseplayer owns a fireside and some find it difficult to read a scratch sheet without facial contortions, but in these 338 large pages of prose and verse, fact and fiction, photographs, cartoons, and paintings, a monk in a lamaseria would be bound to find pleasure.

The dedication is quoted here for crassly commercial reasons: "This volume could reasonably be dedicated to any one in a starting field that would include, among others, Granny Rice, Joe Palmer, John Kieran, John Caver, Frank Graham, Bill Corum, et al., but I am sure they would all scratch in favor of a walk-over for Joseph B. Stevens." If every friend of Joe Stevens, of the great catering clan, buys one copy, the book's got to outsell "Gone With The Wind."

It is a fairly common experience for a sports writer to hear a subscriber say, "I never read racing stories because I don't play the horses." When Joe Palmer was alive, the answer was easy: "Too bad for you, because you're missing the best stuff in the paper."

As the "Fireside Book" makes abundantly clear, Joe's wasn't the only writing of quality that these people were denying themselves.

Did you know that Sherwood Anderson wrote about racing? And Donn Byrne and John Masfield and J. P. Marquand and D. H. Lawrence? They are all here, in a company of literary masters that ranges, alphabetically, from George Edward Arcaro to Gen. Lew ("Ben Hur") Wallace.

The anthologist who mined this rewarding vein and assembled the product with discriminating taste is a blithe spirit who, before retiring to other fields, found as much fun at the race track and brought as much more to it as one man could.

When the Pimlico Special was a major event in which victory was almost tantamount to horse-of-the-year distinction, Dave Woods had the happy idea of sending a formal, illuminated invitation to a sports writer to join the field, though Dave had a secret plot to bring about disqualification before post time.

He insisted on a saliva test after lunch. Traces of martini were detected, and the coldblood scratched.

Another time Dave named the first two races at Pimlico for that dedicated daily-double player, Grantland Rice, and after the last race broke out the champagne for Granny and friends. The bubbly was served in the members' clubhouse, not in ice buckets but in bushel baskets of losing double tickets.

Because Dave's enlistment papers in the Second World War mentioned his race track servitude, the officer in charge of square pegs and round holes assigned him to the cavalry. Thus it came about that a man who admired horses greatly, provided they were on the track and he in the press box with a fence between, found himself mucking out stalls and ducking hooves at Fort Riley.

Private Woods was at his unsanitary chores one day when ordered to report to the captain. "There was a letter for you in the mail," the captain said, "thought it might be important." He handed over a stiff bond envelope embossed, "The White House," and waited expectantly.

"Oh, thanks," said Private Woods, and stuffed it, unopened, in the pocket of his fatigues.

From that moment on the climate at Fort Riley warmed deliciously. Dave didn't bother mentioning that the letter was not from President Roosevelt, but from his secretary and Dave's horse-playing pal, Steve Early.

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Saturday's Heroes

Army's do-it-all substitute quarterback, Rollie Stichweh (16), is stopped in mid-air by Navy's Pat Donnelly (38). Stichweh scored 14 of Army's

15 points and Donnelly scored all three Navy touchdowns in 21-15 Navy victory at Philadelphia Saturday.—(AP Photofax)

Army 'Dies' on Goal-Line
Navy Gets Cotton Bowl Bid

By STEVE SNIDER

PHILADELPHIA (UPI)—Fullback Pat Donnelly ran for three touchdowns Saturday and hard-pressed Navy captured its fifth straight victory over Army, 21-15, when the

clock ran out with the cadets just two yards short of a score in a football game dedicated to their slain commander-in-chief, John F. Kennedy.

Directly after the game, Navy announced it had accepted

a bid to the Cotton Bowl at Dallas, on Jan. 1 where it will meet unbeaten, top-ranked Texas.

Donnelly ran four, one and 20 yards for his touchdown, tying a Navy record set by Joe Bellino in the 1959 game.

ARMY STAR

But almost equally tremendous was Army's Rollie Stichweh, who scored 14 of Army's 15 points and recovered a fourth-period "onside" kick which sent the cadets on a furious assault that finally died when time ran out at Navy's two.

Stichweh dashed 10 yards for a first-period touchdown to put Army in front 7-0 and then, with Navy out in front, 21-7, on Donnelly's three scores and three conversions by Fred Marlin, Stichweh scored a one-yard run in the fourth period and then ran for a two-point conversion.

SHORT KICK

With 6:13 to play, Dick Heydt booted a short "onside" kick for his kickoff and Stichweh recovered it on the Navy 49. That set the red-hot Cadets on a final desperate drive, but Navy defenders, led by captain Tom Lynch, repelled it as time expired and 102,000 throats set up a roar.

All America Roger Staubach, chief engineer of Navy's record that now stands at 9-1 for the season, was a constant threat with his runs and passes, but twice was intercepted and failed to bring off the big play to put the points on the scoreboard.

PENALTIES

Navy's winning touchdown drive, launched in the fourth period, after stopping Army on the middle nine, went 91 yards, aided by two consecutive fouls against the Cadets for roughness. The second penalty gave Navy a first down on Army's 28. Two plays later, Donnelly swept around his left end, fought his way past the secondary defenders and ran 20 yards for his third score.

Other scores: Penn State 34, Northwestern 10, State 29, Rutgers 12, Tulane 22, Louisville 16, Prairie View 26, Kentucky State 7, New Mexico 27, Arizona 15, Lamar Tech 31, Mexico Poly 28.

Post-Season Pairings

By The Associated Press

Post-season football bowl games involving major U.S. college teams:

DECEMBER 31
Bluebonnet Bowl at Houston—LSU 7-3, vs. Baylor 7-1.
Liberty Bowl at Philadelphia—North Carolina State 8-2, vs. Mississippi State 6-3-2.

JANUARY 1
Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.—North Carolina 8-2, vs. Air Force 7-1.

JANUARY 2
Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif.—Illinois 7-1-1, vs. Washington, 6-4.

Orange Bowl at Miami—Nebraska 8-1, vs. Auburn, 8-1.

Cotton Bowl at Dallas—Texas 18-0, vs. Navy, 9-1.

Rugar Bowl at New Orleans—Mississippi 7-9-2, vs. Alabama 7-2.

'Chuckling' Incident

Meckiff Pulled Out
From Aussie Bowlers

BRISBANE (AP)—The South

African cricketers, fighting back grimly against Australia in the first test, were 157 for 4 in their first innings at close of play on the second day here Saturday.

The Australians were all out for 425 in their first innings shortly after lunch.

The South African innings opened sensationally when the world's most controversial bowler, Ian Meckiff, was first over by square leg umpire Colla Egar.

Meckiff, whose inclusion in the Australian test team was severely criticized in England because of his alleged throwing action, was virtually put out of the test.

Australian captain Richie Benaud took Meckiff off the bowling list and apparently does not intend to use him again in this test.

Calling of Meckiff for "chuckling," and Benaud's decision to abandon Meckiff as a bowler has made him useless as a test cricketer.

The crowd of more than 10,000 demonstrated wildly in the stands when Meckiff was taken out of the Australian bowling attack.

Mass chanting of "we want Meckiff" from the crowd at times interrupted play.

Valley Teams
Play U.S. Style

VERNON (CP)—The Okanagan Mainline High School Football League has decided to drop the Canadian game and adopt American-style football for next season.

Minor Soccer Scores

Scores of yesterday's matches in the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Soccer Association:

DIVISION III
Evening Optimists 3, ANAP Vets 2; Oak Bay Optimists 2, Majestic Royals 2; Britannia Legion 2, Prunella Wolves 2; George J. Esquimalt Legion 1.

DIVISION IV
Teammaster Rangers 6, Canadian Scottish 3; Langford Royals 3, Type 3; Eds Lake 1A 3, George 1; Peninsula 21 and A 3, Oak Bay Optimists 2; Geo. Club 2, Victoria Optimists 4; Wanderers 1, Seagulls 0.

DIVISION V
Reynolds 1, George 3; Solmes Legion 2; Majestic Royals 2; Evening Optimists 6; Ross Club 3; Royal Oak 1; Uxbridge 4; George 1; 1, Oak Bay Optimists 1.

DIVISION VI
Black Club Whites 1, Esquimalt 1; Martin 3; George Whites 3; Seagulls 1; Island Tug 2; George 1; Britannia 1; Reynolds CBRT 2; Pirelli 1.

1. Pro Pals 6, Oak Bay Optimists 0; Boys Club Reds 3.

DIVISION VII
Oak Bay Optimists 3, Canadian Scottish 6; Reynolds Royals 3; Boys Club Whites 1; Ross Club 3; Evening Optimists 1; Boys Club 3; George 3; Chimes 6; Marine Services 2; George 1; 2; Cosmopolitan Royals 2; Victoria Optimists 0.

2. Pro Pals 6, Oak Bay Optimists 0; Boys Club Reds 3.

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12. Pro Pals 6, Oak Bay Optimists 0; Boys Club Reds 3.

Soccer Title to John Oliver

Victoria High Bows
In Overtime Game

By ROBIN JEFFREY

VANCOUVER—A blazing, free kick by Marty Taylor crashed against the bar at Callister Park yesterday afternoon, bounded back into the field of play, and Victoria High School Tyees' hopes for a B.C. high school soccer championship dribbled down the drain for the third straight year.

Taylor's shot came with Tyees trailing John Oliver High School, mainland champs, 2-1, in the last overtime session. Only seconds later the whistle sounded to end the contest, and with it Tyees' conviction that this was their "next year."

WRONG YEAR

Two years ago Tyees had what was probably their best club. No B.C. final was played. Last year they lost 2-1 on a penalty kick in overtime to Burnaby North.

And yesterday they were back on the hard-luck trail, losing a game they deserved to win.

Despite atrocious field conditions, Tyees began explosively. From the opening kick-off Don Frampton sent Taylor through, but the centre-forward shot past the post from a bad angle.

Vic High had three more good chances before John Oliver got its first shot.

FIVE CHANCES

Tyees completely dominated the field, and finally, after 24 minutes and five great scoring chances, Taylor sent them into the lead. With his back to the goal, he headed a long, high clearance from Jack Magi over the head of John Oliver goalie Keith Wilson and into the net.

The black-and-gold striped Tyees could have had four more goals before the half ended. They showed a dazzling display of passing and combination that left the John Oliver defenders standing flat-footed.

COULDN'T KICK

But around goal, Tyees couldn't kick a dent in a pound of butter. They shot by the post, over the bar, miskicked, changed feet, and didn't get a break.

And their inability to capitalize on their chances cost them the match.

An inspired John Oliver side took the field after the interval. In 11 games over the season John Oliver scored 33 goals and allowed six. In the mainland final against Vancouver Tech JO came from behind a 2-0, halftime deficit to win 3-2.

MIS CHANCE

And the John Oliver boys trotted out the same fighting spirit against Tyees. They pressed the Victoria team in its own end, and after six minutes, missed a great chance to score when centre-forward Stan Torget had his wicked drive pushed over the bar by Tyee goalie Meredith Spike.

After 10 minutes Tyees appeared to recover from the early onslaught. They managed to break out of their end for a couple of sorties.

LONG PASSES

But the stronger JO side continued to bomb the Vic High defence with long passes. And at 26 minutes the blow fell, when Steve Azak, coming in as a substitute, took a pass from Torget and slammed it between the legs of the sliding Spike from seven yards.

It was the first time Azak touched the ball.

Regulation time ended with the score 1-1 and the teams went into two 10-minute overtime periods.

And after only three minutes of the first session JO's Bob Sedgway broke through the middle. Spike beat him to the ball but dropped it, after colliding with Sedgway, and Torget fired it into an empty net from 12 yards out.

Tyees pressed in the dying minutes but couldn't get the

equalizer. Taylor's late drive was their last gasp.

But the irony of ironies for the Tyees wasn't discovered until after the game. Then they learned that JO centre-forward Torget, the man who scored the winner and set up the equalizer, isn't a centre-forward at all.

Yesterday was Torget's first game this season at centre. He

played the 11 other games in goal.

Lineups:

John Oliver High School—Keith Wilson, Goal; Keith Wilson, Dave Sedgway, Les Macey, Rick Miller, Paul Johnston, Ross Green, Stan Torget, Bob Sedgway, Ken Wright, Royce, Ron Bortman, Steve Azak, Chuck Rylander.

Victoria High—Meredith Spike, Goal; Meredith Spike, Mike Olson, Ron Schmitt, Richie Allen, Mike Olson, Ron Schmitt, Jack Magi, Steve Bortman, Don Frampton, Marty Taylor, Scott Walker, Dave Evans, Royce, Tom Bortman, Kevin Dillon, Wayne Carson, Doug Bainbridge.

Vancouver Gets
Kennedy Soccer

VANCOUVER (CP)—The

J. F. Kennedy Cup competition, a three-day soccer extravaganza involving one team each from B.C., Mexico and the United States, will be staged here in 1966.

Delegates to the Pacific Coast International Soccer Championship Conference voted unanimously Friday night to hold the event here for the first time.

Los Angeles will play host to the tournament next year. The

In 1965 it will be held in Mexico City.

President Bill Findler of the Pacific Coast League said an all-star team from the league will represent B.C. in next year's competition.

The delegates also voted in favor of a Los Angeles request to hold this year's competition in the city April 24-26 to avoid competing for customers with the international tournament of New York.

Galiano Resident

Billiards Champ Dies

GALIANO ISLAND—Tom Totin, billiards champion of Canada and a former resident here, is dead.

He died recently in Vancouver after a lengthy illness. He was 73.

Mr. Totin was born in Birkenhead, England, and when only 14 years old became the English billiards champion. After service in the First World War, he became a touring professional before coming to Canada in 1926.

He won the Canadian championship in 1929, a title he never lost, and defended until 1954.

He came to live permanently on Galiano Island in 1958. When ill in Victoria earlier this year, he gave an exhibition at the Veterans' Hospital and

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Despite their fancy wigs and striking kimonos, these girls are not geishas. They dug out traditional Japanese attire to appear in a parade.—(Fednews)

Entertaining Idea Delights ART BUCHWALD

Take Cary Grant to Dine

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WASHINGTON — A new dining service has just been introduced which may revolutionize the entertaining business. It's called "Be My Guest," and the idea is you can take someone to dinner in a fancy restaurant without being there yourself.

BMG, which is tied up with American Express, has arranged with 850 restaurants throughout the world to serve gift dinners to guests of their clients.

They work something like the florist's telegraph delivery service. You select a restaurant from a book and order a meal for your friends. They are notified by gift certificate that you wish them to partake of your hospitality and all they have to do is show up.

They get the full treatment, which you pay for, and it's a gesture, according to BMG, that they'll remember forever. There is a lot to be said for the idea. Many of us owe favors to people we don't par-

ticularly like. If we could buy them drinks and dinner without having to be with them, we'd be delighted to do it. They probably won't like us any better, so we could all have a wonderful evening without seeing each other.

While the cost of the dinner may be expensive, it still comes out cheaper than if we had to be there and pay for our own meal as well.

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portant clients in different towns. They could hold dinners for all of them on the same night, and still stay home and read.

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Arabs Talk Of Threat To Pope

CAIRO (UPI) — The weekly newspaper Akhbar Elyom said Saturday "Zionists might kill the Pope during his forthcoming visit to the Holy Land and then accuse the Arabs of doing it."

The newspaper said editorially, "What can prevent Israel from exploiting the Pope's assassination in Israel and pinning it on one of the Arabs living there? ... What can prevent Israel from committing such a crime in Jordan and then trying to pin it on Arab refugees just as she is trying to pin the crucifixion of Christ on the Romans? ..."

Meanwhile it was announced from Rome that if the Pope's trip to the Holy Land goes well, the pontiff will attend a eucharistic congress in Beirut next fall.

School Road Probe Begun

A committee of the Spanish district 63 school board has begun an inquiry into complaints about the condition of Prospect Lake School grounds and the road leading to the school. Mrs. Mavis Edwards of 5043 Prospect Lake Road is preparing a supporting petition urging improvements. It will be circulated starting Tuesday.

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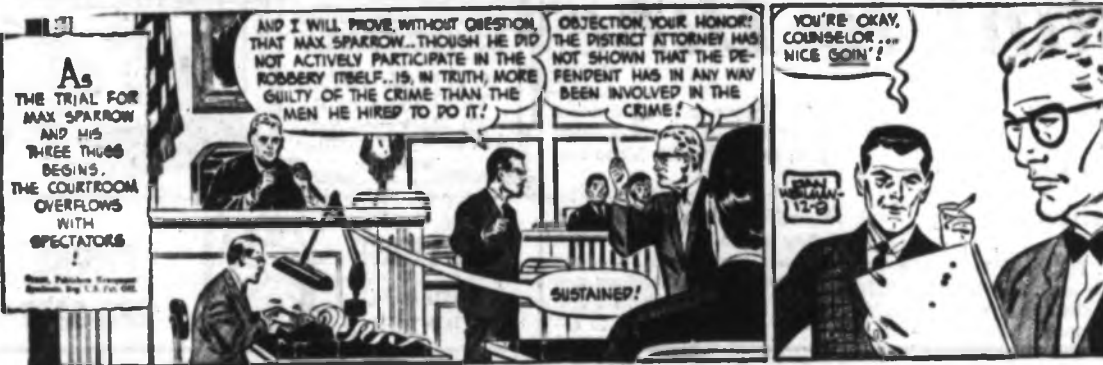
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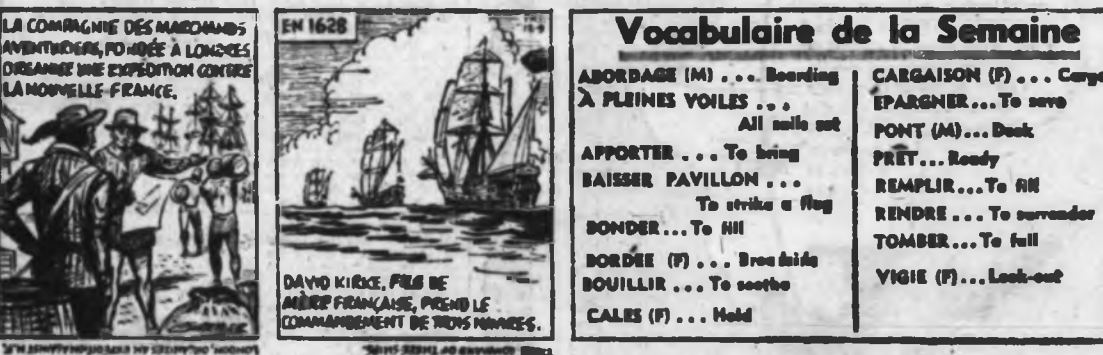
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Garden Notes

Too Soon for Lawns

By M. V. CHESNUT, FRHS
LAWN SOWING — (E.C., Victoria). This is not at all a good time to sow grass seed. If you have completed the raking and levelling, simply leave the plot alone for the winter to settle and consolidate. Next March, if weeds have sprung up, scuffle them off with the Dutch hoe, rake them up and dispose of them on the compost heap.

Give the lawn site a dressing of chemical fertilizer, one-half cupful per square yard. Do not use a fertilizer formulated for use on established lawns, but rather one with a high content of superphosphate. The Vigoro people put out a mixture especially put together for this purpose called Lawn Starter, or you could make up your own using two parts ammonium sulphate, four parts superphosphate and one part sulphate of potash. Rake in the fertilizer lightly, then sow your seed in late March or early April.

GRASS UNDER HEDGE — (W.B.,

Sidney). You can get rid of the couch and brome grass growing under your holly hedge by spraying or watering it with Dalapon (Dowpon) grass killer. Dissolve the chemical in water at the rate of four ounces a gallon and apply to the grass lightly, just enough to wet its leaves thoroughly but without too much drip to the soil. Try not to get any of the spray on the holly leaves.

To make quite sure of a good kill, follow up the initial treatment with another spraying two weeks later, this time at half strength or two ounces a gallon.

GRAPE PRUNING — R. McM., Royal Oak). A grape vine should be pruned as soon as its leaves have fallen so the pruning wounds have time to heal before sap flow starts in the spring. For late pruning will often result in untrollable bleeding. Wounds larger than a half-inch diameter should be sprayed with Thionex Tree Wound Dressing.

There are a dozen different systems

of pruning, but a simple method which gives satisfactory results is to cut back the leading rod by one-third—this is the top end of the vine which is needed for extension growth—then shorten the laterals or side shoots to two buds.

BLACK SPOT IN ROSES — W.S., Victoria). Winter control of black spot consists largely of collecting and burning all fallen leaves. It is a good idea, too, to spray your roses while dormant with a clean-up spray of any phenol household disinfectant such as Creolin, Creolide, Dettol or Lysol, two table-spoons per gallon.

I should point out that, even when you have black spot licked in your own garden, the infecting spores can invade from elsewhere during the growing season. Keep your roses under close observation, and at the first sign of trouble, pick off and burn infected leaves, then spray weekly with a fungicide containing Phaltan until no further spread of the disease can be detected.

JACK SMITH Peeps at Women's Things

Gift Ideas Word-Wrapped

As Christmas nears a man has to read the ads for women's things. This is a field of literature I neglect most of the year, and which, I find, is written in an alien tongue about artifacts I don't understand.

I have at hand, for example, a brochure called the Golden Book of Gifts. It has a gold cover with pink stripes and a winged cherub who seems about to lose his diapers in full flight.

Thumbing through this elegant catalogue of trifles, luxuries, puffs and thingamabobs, I have encountered a glossary of exquisite phrases that are sanskrit to my ear, but somehow evocative and pleasant.

Having read a French novel or two I believed I knew what a peignoir was. At least, I remembered the kind of scene in which it appeared, on or off its

owner. But I hadn't thought of a peignoir as being made of cloudfight quilted sheer nylon, and with delicate floral print. It's a more modest garment than I had supposed.

For my money I'll take an article which appears to be a nightgown, but is described as follows: "Lights out... and into a shimmering toga of crepe-de-lux." This garment, modelled by a demure blonde, is slit all the way up to the first rib.

The fur ads are best. They transport me into a world as remote as the Himalayas and the court of the Tsar. I've always been crazy for sable, ever since I saw Sophia Loren get off an airplane once in several. In the ad a model with straight red hair is wearing a full-length sable priced at \$11,800. They don't use any

dollar signs in the brochure. The dollar sign is probably regarded as vulgar.

"Eleven thousand, 800 what?" my son asked when I showed him the ad.

"Dollars," I said. "What else?" "Man!" he exclaimed. "You realize what you could get for that? Two XKEs!"

An XKE, some people may not know, is a Jaguar automobile costing about \$6,000, apiece. "You're right," I admitted. "But what would an ordinary woman want with two XKEs?" He naturally couldn't answer that.

For sheer, relentless, imaginative, unrestrained and dazzling use of adjectives, however, I had to hand it to a day-to-dark jacket superbly fashioned of "pale blond natural emba tourmaline mink."

With five adjectives thrown in it was only 1,800.

Sable and mink may be out of my reach this year, but I might go for a rayon acetate double-breasted coat that comes in tiger, leopard or zebra spots. This marvellous coat, according to the brochure, "folds neatly into its own pocket."

"It does what?" my son said. "It folds into its own pocket," I said. He thought about it. "Impossible," he said. "Of course it's impossible," I agreed.

"It isn't impossible at all," my wife said. "You simply fold it up, and on the last fold you put it in its pocket. Can't you see that?"

Frankly, no. I can't. But I'm thinking about it. Maybe I could see it if it weren't for those damn spots.

The Startling World of SHEILAH GRAHAM

Nothing to Imagine

HOLLYWOOD (NANA) — Ingmar Bergman's new film, The Silence, which comes to North America in January, has been hailed in Sweden as his best. It is also his most pornographic. Nothing has been left out, and a traveller returning from Stockholm tells me that the audience sits in stunned amazement. There are some

sequences that I am sure will never be allowed over here. Not even the art houses would dare.

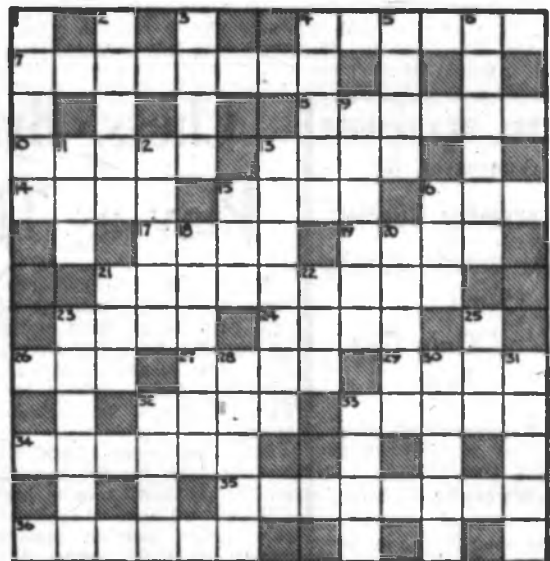
Mrs. Clark Gable has moved Clark's tomb to a more private part of Forest Lawn cemetery to make it easier for her to visit his grave.

Vince Edwards is the No. 1 television hero of Japan where his Ben Casey show is a prime favorite. Vince will appear in Tokyo later this month to spark the premiere of his picture for Carl Foreman: The Victors. They don't care who else does not come so long as they see Dr. Ben... and it isn't enough, as we know, to make a movie today; you have to be a travelling salesman. Foreman flies to Tokyo to promote his picture, then he's off to Stockholm for another premiere, then to Denmark for more of the same, then to New York and Hollywood for the opening here. It's a good thing he likes to fly.

I am always sorry to see Princess Grace Kelly with an extra chin. She is much too young and too pretty for that. I guess the food in the palace is pretty good.

Richard Burton will make more money from The VIP's than Elizabeth Taylor. All Liz receives is her mealy \$1,000,000. Richard, who was paid \$500,000 for the job, also has a hefty percentage of the profits. The successful movie is expected to make at least \$12,000,000.

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CLUES ACROSS

- The son, maybe, of Charlton (Anagram).
- Fast ships (Double Clue).
- State of the river (Double Clue).
- Decreased.
- Golfing color.
- Victims.
- Food from the east (Anagram).
- Might you take one in a bathhouse? (Hidden Word).
- Implant.
- Mark gets a letter from Oscar (Hidden Word).
- Black bone, possibly (Anagram).
- Samuel Clemens (Two Words).
- Go half a yard with an artist (Split Word).
- Shows willingness to go to sleep (Double Clue).
- In which to go for a ride.
- A large plant.
- Like an egg.
- Bring up at the back (Double Clue).
- Could be a copperhead.
- Not in front at sea.
- A sloe gin mixture which you wouldn't drink (Anagram).
- Cry from an audience not fully satisfied (Double Clue).

CLUES DOWN

- An old saying.
- Fast ships (Double Clue).
- Double ration of port wine! (Hidden Word).
- He has skill; also courage (Split Word).
- Move in various ways (Anagram).
- State.
- Execute a man in order to be chief (Split Word).
- An effort at composition.
- An associate in the business of dancing (Double Clue).
- Outwardly, the wood's O.K. (Split Word).
- One of the boys in a parson's family (Hidden Word).
- P... ly bowl-shaped for Carter (Anagram).
- Otherwise buffalo.
- Perhaps a dangerous crowd.
- A miserable state.
- Greer groans, possibly (Anagram).
- Kay's turned into an animal (Reversed Word).
- Extent of the grazing ground (Double Clue).
- Legal.
- Possibly revel in a bar (Reversed Word).
- Where to get unhitched.
- Could describe a boat to China.

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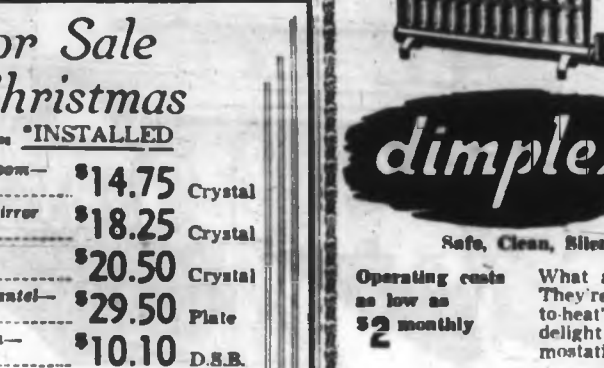
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People Who Work For Themselves More Suicide-Prone

By ERNEST MARSHALL HOWSE

A recent news item refers to a study of suicide published in the New England Journal of Medicine. The study showed that doctors, lawyers, and dentists, who work independently, are collectively three times more suicide-prone than people working under direction. Teachers, on the other hand, who work under direction have a very low suicide rate.

Other factors than those of working independently or under supervision undoubtedly affect the statistics of suicide. Indeed the patterns of suicide both in the countries of North America and throughout the world are full of anomalies.

The United States currently lists about 60 suicides a day, or a yearly total of 22,000. This total is more than the combined deaths from typhoid fever, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria and intestinal infections. It is only slightly less than the total of 23,000 listed in the depths of the depression.

In 1960 1,350 Canadians were officially reported as committing suicide — as against 253 homicides.

Divorced Lead Totals

These figures both in Canada and the United States would be enormously increased if it were possible to determine the attempted suicides—which one American doctor estimates to be at least eight times the number of completed suicides—and "hidden suicides," which in the United States have been estimated to be as high as 100,000 a year.

The patterns within these suicides vary. The married are more suicidally inclined than the single. The divorced—run ahead of all other classes. Widowers run a close second, while widows have a low rate.

'Cured' Patients Prone

Moreover, in another study 69 per cent of the discharged "well" or "recovering" patients, who had been adjudged by professional opinion to be competent to return into society successfully, destroyed themselves within one year.

Moreover, the highest percentage of suicides is not among persons living in slums, nor is it among the crippled, the blind or the sick. It is among the well-to-do.

A United States clergyman said "Those who killed themselves are those who have everything in the world to live with, but nothing to live for."

In contrast, most students of suicide point out that at least a small percentage of suicides are motivated by courage, and often unselfishness and a willingness to sacrifice even life itself for the good of others.

People, for example, who are incurably ill, and whose illness if prolonged would leave a wife or children destitute, have brought their sufferings, and their expenses to a close in a resolute attempt to do all that was possible for their dependants.

Another item is that intelligent people commit suicide much more frequently than people of lower mentality. A Dr. Stephen Ward, for example, is much more likely to commit suicide than a Christine Keeler.

Perhaps the only conclusion we can reach is that in the main, suicide is so irrational that statistics just do not fit any rational pattern.



Skyline Changes

Old and new form Oak Bay Marina skyline. But not for long. Familiar building at right, built in 1903, is already in process of dismantling. In its place will rise a boat construction and storage building. Striking building, at left, is new restaurant, coffee shop and general administration area. Centre structure will become marina's repair shop and marine store. Exciting \$425,000 project is due to be completed by the middle of February. (Bud Kinnaman)

Questions... ...Answers

By CHARLES TAYLOR

Q. Do you think terrazzo is worth the extra cost in flooring? We are considering it for a family room which we plan to add to our eight-year-old house.

A. My answer is yes. The main thing to consider here is whether terrazzo's beauty and ease of maintenance appeal to you. There are differences of opinion on this, which reflect differences in taste. Some owners, especially those who prefer wood flooring, feel terrazzo is too cold in appearance, too hard on the feet.

Terrazzo is more expensive initially, but will last indefinitely if properly cared for, and is relatively inexpensive and easy to maintain. Though it requires no protection against wear, it does need protection against absorption by application of a colorless, penetrating sealer. Two coats are usually required. After sealing, the surface may be waxed to increase the protection. Terrazzo should be cleaned only with neutral liquid cleaners.

Q. Can tarnish be removed from copper screens? We live close to the shore and our screens are rather badly tarnished. Also is there any way to prevent tarnish?

A. Tarnish can be removed by washing the screens with a solution of salt dissolved in vinegar. Follow this treatment by rinsing them thoroughly with clear water. For future protection, apply a coat of spar varnish thinned with an equal amount of a mixture of half linseed oil and half turpentine. Cover all areas of the screen, especially where the mesh is connected with the frame.

Q. Some of our polished furniture has developed a filmy look which we can't remove with ordinary cleaners. Is there any way to restore the original beauty without a complete refinishing job?—H. J. D.

A. The cloudy look, or dimming of the beauty of the wood, commonly called hazing, may be due to a buildup of old wax and soil. A well-known automobile cleaner can be used to remove the haze from a polished wood finish—Simoniz paste cleaner, applied with a damp cloth to a small area at a time. As it dries, rub the area with a clean, dry cloth.

Q. We have painted our galvanized downspout repeatedly, but it continues to peel. Is there any way to prevent this?

A. Galvanized metal should be properly prepared before being painted. Your trouble is probably due to the fact that the surface, which has a film of zinc, prevents the paint from forming a durable bond. First remove all the present paint. Then wash the surfaces with vinegar and apply a coat of red lead or zinc chromate paint. Paint stores carry special primers for galvanized metals. Finish with a top quality metallic paint.

Expropriation Top Topic At Farmers' Convention

Land expropriation will be a top-priority subject Dec. 17 and 18 at the annual convention of the B.C. Federation of Agriculture.

The Delta Farmers Institute, one of 53 member organizations to attend, will ask the provincial government for an early tabling of the J. V. Cline royal commission report on expropriation.

Delta says the findings may have an important effect on terms and conditions agriculturalists can expect when their land is taken over in the public interest.

The objections of municipalities and suburban dwellers to farmyard manure is another problem on the agenda. The Vancouver Island Poultry Producers Association protests municipal bans on manure and says people moving into new subdivisions should know that manure and manure handling are essential to farming operations.

LIFTED TROOPS

A 14th-century Korean general is said to have captured an enemy stronghold by airlifting his troops up a steep cliff by huge kites.

Japanese Housing Nightmarish

Greedy Becomes a Science

By KIP COOPER

TOKYO (CNS) — A government survey here reveals Japanese spend more for fun than they do for housing. This comes as no surprise to foreign civilians with Japanese landlords. Compared to owners of what Japanese magnanimously call "Western style" houses, Scrooge was a spendthrift.

But supply and demand leave Westerners no choice but to pay exorbitant rents and to use their own money to make the house habitable. Improvements one Western tenant makes then are passed to the next with a demand for higher rent from the landlord.

GREEDY, STINGY

Japanese landlords are greedy, stingy and, in general, disliked even by Japanese tenants, who, at least, have a wider choice of accommodations.

The cost for Westerners begins with the search for a house. Landlords can count dollars but most of them can't speak English.

So some English-speaking Japanese decided "finding houses" for foreigners would be a lucrative business. It is

Landlords Could Give Scrooge Some Pointers

An unwritten agreement between landlords and house agents forces transactions with Westerners through the agent.

The agent collects (from the Westerner) one month's rent as his fee for "finding" your house. Naturally, it is to the agent's advantage to obtain as high a rental as possible.

The value of the property has nothing to do with the rental price. You can take it or leave it. For every house there's a dozen Westerners painting on their luggage. Some bid against each other thereby pushing prices even higher. Getting into a house is a cutthroat game and a cutthroat business.

Average rents begin around \$200 and spiral upward to over \$1,000 for houses that would rent in North America from \$70 to \$150. Two months' advance rent is required. This is called "shikikin" and you are

supposed to get it back. Few people do.

Landlords promise to pay you back the day you leave. When they don't show up you have a choice of catching your ship or plane or paying the penalty for cancelling out.

This gimmick goes on and on and most Westerners either forfeit the shikikin or skin the landlord by not paying the last two months' rent. The law will not make the landlord return your shikikin, but neither can the landlord evict you unless you are six months in arrears.

This is what it cost to move into an average Japanese home. My house cost \$222.50 a month. The agent got \$222.50 and the landlord two months' advance rent of \$445.

Japanese houses have no heat. An outlay of \$500 bought kerosene space heaters, tanks and piped gas to the kitchen. A thousand dollars was spent making the house livable; that is repairing broken windows, leaky faucets, painting interiors, installing drapery rods and having a moving company remove junk the last tenant left behind.

This made the total about \$3,000 just to get settled in a home.

Japanese utilities are high. Many Japanese still use charcoal or small coal stoves to

heat their homes. This "illusion of heat" has no psychological effect on North Americans. Heating by kerosene averages \$80 to \$100 a month; Japanese gas (for bath and cooking) averages \$35 to \$50 a month and water is \$4.50.

My landlord already is speculating. "With the improvements you have made, I should be able to get \$300 a month for this house when you leave," he said. "When are you going home?"

But I've got a surprise for him. My paint is waterproof and every ex-sailor knows how to scrub down a bulkhead. And two months before I leave there will be a hitch in the mail system that will hold up my paycheques.

Risk Lives

KRONACH, West Germany (AP) — Two East German youths who fled to the West several weeks ago risked their lives to go back for four relatives and guided them to freedom early Thursday through minefields and barbed wire. West German border police reported.

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The agreement provides for the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission to sell India enriched uranium under a contract now being negotiated.

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Calgary Planners 'Bluffed' by CPR

A draft of the Calgary-CPR downtown development scheme, target of outspoken aldermanic criticism, has been returned to city commissioners and the CPR with orders for more negotiations.

Ald. Jack Leslie led the attack, saying commissioners and senior city officials were "outbluffed and outnegotiated" in drafting the \$35,000,000 plan.

"This agreement is nothing but concessions by the city to the CPR," said Ald. Roy Ballard.

Construction of temporary facilities has begun in the west wing of the CNR station in Edmonton. The area will be used as the main station while the CN Tower is being built.

Alberta

Peter von Manteffell, 40, has a leg injury, a 13-stitch head cut and an unusual hit-and-run story.

He told Edmonton police he was hit by a car whose driver jumped out, told von Manteffell his wife was going to have a baby and drove off, leaving von Manteffell lying in the street.

Dr. C. F. Bentley, dean of agriculture at the University of Alberta, has urged better use of the university's farm research. He said in Red Deer proper use of facilities could mean an annual net profit of between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000 to Alberta farmers.

Ottawa has announced a \$344,737 loan to the Camrose Lutheran College for a three-storey building to accommodate 89 resident students.

The defence cutback is causing a lot of talk across the Prairies.

In Alberta, Calgary wants to buy at least part of RCAF Station Calgary, which will close next year. In Manitoba, the withdrawal of 2,300 army personnel from Churchill was confirmed and businessmen said

Ring Case

Murder Gun Parts Found By RCMP Dog

VERNON (CP) — A police dog-master told a preliminary hearing into a capital murder charge that his dog Kila searched four days before finding all the parts of a rifle used in the beating, stabbing death of Donna and Dianne Ring near Mabel Lake Oct. 7.

Charged with capital murder is Lawrence Herman Haase, 25-year-old Kelowna service station attendant.

He was committed for trial after a hearing which began Thursday. He will be held in custody.

RCMP Const. K. W. Mackay of Kamloops said he and Kila joined the search shortly before midnight Oct. 7 to look for the twin girls.

NEXT DAY

"He said it was early the next day when the dog found the forestock of a rifle, a pair of white shoes and eventually the body of Dianna Ring. Another searcher found the body of Donna Ring on the other side of the road.

The bodies were near their parents' resort home at Mabel Lake, 43 miles north of here.

Earlier testimony showed the girls had been stabbed and struck with a blunt instrument.

BROKEN BUTT

Const. Mackay said the dog found the broken butt of a rifle Oct. 8 but only on Oct. 11 discovered the barrel stuffed in a rotted log near the bodies.

Earlier a crime laboratory expert testified there was "unidentifiable" blood on the pieces of a .22 calibre rifle.

More than 100 exhibits have been entered at the hearing and more than a score of witnesses heard. The hearing is continuing.

Rescued Ship Goes Down

ASTORIA, Ore. (AP) — The crippled freighter C Trader sank at the mouth of the Columbia River Saturday only a few miles from safety. None of the 23 persons aboard was lost or injured.

The 236-foot ship, loaded with 2,400,000 board feet of lumber, ran into difficulty Friday off the Washington coast. Steering and electricity failed.

A commercial salvage vessel began towing it to Astoria for repairs. But it sank in 40 feet of water four miles from Astoria.

business will be hit hard. Meanwhile, Ottawa pledged the Defence Research Board rocket range at Churchill will be kept open at least until 1963.

City solicitor William Fraser of Winnipeg says city council has instructed him to renew Winnipeg's application for Sunday movies. Rural legislators are expected to oppose the idea in the legislature.

Manitoba

The Manitoba Farmers' Union, meeting in Winnipeg, has approved a resolution urging Ottawa to outlaw cigarette advertising and compel manufacturers to stamp "dangerous to health" on each package.

Chairman Andrew Robertson of the Winnipeg school board says religious instruction for a group of Catholic students in Daniel McIntyre High School will begin next year. The move followed a Court of Queen's Bench ruling that religious instruction was refused improperly by the board for 23 students.

Education officials in Winnipeg say a partial new university entrance course should be ready for use in Manitoba high schools next fall.

The Saskatchewan Farmers' Union, meeting in Saskatoon, has reported an operating sur-

plus of almost \$8,000 for 1962, its first surplus in a decade. Roy Atkinson was re-elected president by acclamation.

City council has approved higher water rates in Saskatoon effective Jan. 1. Mayor Sid Buckwold said the increase was needed because "consumers are not paying enough to carry the system."

The RCAF has completed a \$3,500,000 runway extension project at its Moose Jaw base and now plans to spend another \$300,000 on facilities for jet training planes. The extension will allow any military aircraft in North America to land.

Saskatchewan

Ottawa has awarded a \$21,070 contract to William Skolki of Hudson Bay to build a post office at Spalding.

The government says in Regina hospital grants will be increased this year by four per cent. In previous years, grants had gone up three per cent each 12 months.

Tom Lees of Arcola, president of the Saskatchewan Hereford Association, has announced the appointment of Saskatoon auctioneer W. J. Blacklock as SHA secretary. He succeeds N. W. Symonds of North Battleford.

Curiosity Kills Lots of Cats

NEW YORK (AP) — Hundreds of people disregarded red traffic signals and crossed 31st Street, causing a traffic jam.

They went to find out why a milling crowd of shoppers was gathered around three uniformed metermaids across the street. The metermaids, whose job is to check on parking meters, were handing out cards on the dangers of jaywalking.

TENDED OTHERS

England's James 1 appointed a "keeper of the king's otters" to look after a pack of tame aquatic mammals trained to catch fish for his table.

Doctors Sue CBS For \$16,000,000

NEW YORK (AP) — Eight physicians from across the U.S. filed a \$16,000,000 damage suit Friday, charging they were portrayed as "quacks" in a CBS television program.

The suit concerned a program last March 27 entitled "The Health Fraud and dealt with a form of blood therapy. It named CBS, the Armstrong Cork Co. and Talent Associates Paramount Ltd. as defendants.

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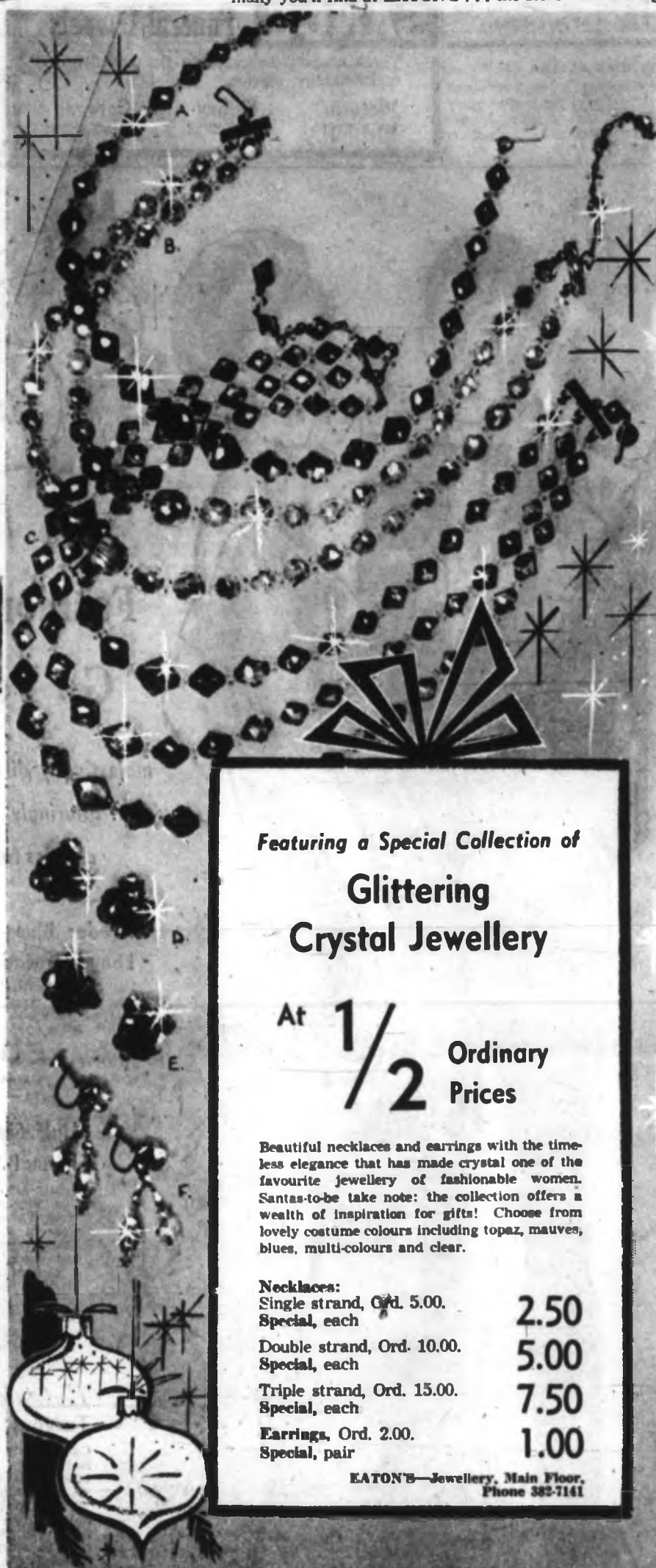


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Eyeing a juicy crab are Bessie Tang, Cowichan band Queen Donna Joe and

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Nationalities Mingle

Songhees' Friendly Feast Sets Example for World

Close to 250 people of various nationalities last night joined in celebration of Songhees Chief John Albany's fourth annual Friendship Feast in Strawberry Vale Hall.

Politicians, 22 Vancouver Island Indian chiefs, provincial government officials and civic representatives attended, along with Nigerian sailors and Chinese and white guests — with human friendship as the common meeting ground.

ONE DAY YEARLY

"It would be good if the rest of the world could set aside one day a year to meet and feast as we are doing here tonight," said Chief Albany.

Provincial Works Minister W. N. Chant, who has attended all four of the annual feasts, said he enjoys getting away from the "rush and tear which goes on in government life" to be with the Indians who are "in no hurry to start or finish a feast."

EVOLUTION PART

B.C. Liberal leader Ray Perreault, who is honorary Chief Thundering Eagle of the Squamish Band and was attending his first Friendship Feast, said, "I think this is a good idea—it is part of the evolution of the Indian peoples in their struggle to become first class citizens."

"All too often, the only time the native Indian is invited somewhere is to do some war dances to amuse the crowd, and I disapprove of it," he said.



LESLIE DASH

Seen in Passing

Leslie Dash making a delivery. (A driver-salesman, Mr. Dash lives with his wife, Helen, at 1206 Tattersall Drive. He enjoys playing golf.) . . . Fanny Pennington anticipating a dance . . . Milt Jackson listening to jazz . . . Harvey Lawrence re-

laxing . . . Lori Lewis contemplating a peanut-butter sandwich . . . Terry Lewis watching field hockey . . . Jack Lindsay, Jr., tinkering with his old car . . . Ray Kawa-sley planning a cruise . . . Wally Andrews being helpful.

Chief Ed Underwood of the East Saanich Reserve, a champion of Indian rights, received a heavy round of applause when he was introduced. Credit for the unusual feast also goes to Mr. and Mrs. David McMillan and their son David, Jr., who operate a clam and oyster company.

"We thought it would be a good idea to get the Indians

closer to the government so there would be better understanding between the two groups. We also invite people who have helped the Indian during the year," Mr. McMillan said.

Mr. McMillan, whose wife was a princess from the Ahousat Band, is honorary Chief Wamish (man with plenty pos-

Chatterton:

Defence Cuts Not Judicious

Reduction of Canada's military reserves is a step in the wrong direction, Esquimalt-Saanich MP George Chatterton charged yesterday.

Greater Victoria is proud of its reserve units, and abolition of HMCS Malahat and the reserve air squadron, and probable reduction of the militia here "will come as a shock to a great number of people," the Conservative member said in statement from Ottawa.

"We appreciate Defence Minister Paul Hellyer's objective of reducing the operation and maintenance costs of the armed forces, but I maintain that reduction of the reserves is not a 'judicious pruning.'

IMPROVED NOT CUT

"The training and efficiency of the reserve, should be, if anything, improved."

Mr. Chatterton said that "of all the money spent on national defence, our reserve forces probably give us more value for our money than any other phase of defence."

WRONG DIRECTION

"The removal of some 24,000 men and women from the reserves at a saving of less than one per cent of the defence budget is indeed a step in the wrong direction."

The cadet training program is certain to be affected indirectly by the reserve cut-backs because many reserve personnel assist in the training of army cadets, sea cadets and air force cadets, said the Esquimalt-Saanich MP.

"Furthermore, the effect on the morale of these young people would be adverse, since they would consider the government does not place much stock in the value of reserve training," he said.

Things Look Better

A family whose house and possessions were destroyed by fire has moved into a new house and things are looking better for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Becker and their children moved into a rented two-bedroom house at 2806 Carlow Friday.

Mrs. C. M. Will, wife of the proprietor of a grocery store which has been accepting donations for the Beckers, said last night that the Salvation Army gave them some furniture, and that the Beckers also got furniture, clothing, cash and other donations which had been left at the store.

She said Mr. Becker's fellow-employees at the mill where he works have collected \$140 for him and the firm gave him another \$100.

The Langford house occupied by the German immigrant family was destroyed by fire Monday.

Cartoons Draw Food

The tenth annual canned-food matinee at the Odessa Theatre brought in 540 cans of food for Mrs. E. E. Harper's surplus food stall today. Admission to the all-cartoon show, sponsored by the 700-Block Merchants' Association, was one or more cans of food, to be contributed to the food stall.

'City Policy: You Give We Take'

By JACK FRY

Stalemate on a Victoria-Central Saanich water lease agreement shows what could be expected under amalgamation, says Central Saanich Reeve R. Gordon Lee.

Refusal of the city to renew an agreement relating to Central Saanich's use of water from the city-owned Elk Lake was "an indication of what may be expected if amalgamation of the Greater Victoria municipalities is ever implemented."

Reeve Lee, in his report to ratepayers last week, suggested the city's attitude was a case of "you give, and we take."

"Let this be a warning to those who favor the academic idea of amalgamation."

Contrary to fantastic reports from city hall, Central Saanich uses only 70,000,000 gallons annually from Elk Lake, has no customers at Deep Cove or anywhere else in North Saanich, he said.

The B.C. Toll Authority at Swartz Bay was already taking water from the federal government on Oct. 15, 1960, when Central Saanich took over the system, and the municipality is getting 35 cents per 1,000 gallons consumed by the toll authority, the reeve said.

"What I strongly object to on behalf of our municipality are the many misstatements which tend to place our management of the waterworks in very bad light," said Reeve Lee.

"The matter of free water is entirely incorrect, for this municipality has tendered to the city the regular lease payments, namely \$1,000 per year for the term of the lease occupied by us, but the city has refused to acknowledge our payments amounting to \$2,500 and apparently is holding this amount of our money."

"I contend, therefore, that we have fulfilled all the obligations and have paid our way to the city."



Reeve Lee



Edgar Crossley and birthday cake.

Honor Parents, Reach 100

By TED GASKELL

Long walks, lots of exercise, cold baths, total abstinence have all, at one time or another, been cited as secrets of longevity but Edgar Crossley, who is 100 years old Monday, believes his long life is due to another rule.

"Honor thy father and thy mother that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee," quoted Mr. Crossley yesterday at Matson Lodge where he lives with his 87-year-old wife.

He believes that his observance of this commandment led to his leading a good life generally and this contributed to his great age. He took his rule seriously for when his father was 70 years old, Mr. Crossley built a house for his parents in

Oxbow, Saskatchewan.

A remarkably well-preserved man with keen intellect and memory, Mr. Crossley recounts clearly happenings of years ago and makes no mistakes on dates or places.

Mr. Crossley was born in Centerville, Ontario, and in 1892 moved to Brandon with his family. Ten years later he went to Oxbow and lived there until 1947 when he retired and came to Victoria to a home on Bay Street. Last year he and his wife moved to Matson Lodge.

In Brandon he was in the hardware business and later worked as assistant to a

New York fur buyer, taking thousands of skins from traders and merchants for shipment to New York.

He returned to Ontario to go into the hardware business, then in 1892 went to Oxbow which was then a little town with about 100 people. Now it's a wealthy oil town of about 1,400 population.

In Oxbow he was active in community affairs and on his wall at Matson Lodge is a framed testimonial signed by the mayor, the president of the Chamber of Commerce and the United Church minister.

The testimonial, dated 1947, the year he left, points

to his serving on the first town council, the first school board and his assistance in establishing the town.

He was an elder of the church and helped to build the first church, the first public school and was on the school board.

"You and Mrs. Crossley helped in every good work in town," the testimonial reads. In 1916 he left the hardware business and sold life and general insurance until he left Oxbow and retired to Victoria. He was then 83.

His memories of Brandon in the early days include seeing the last boat to come up-river from Winnipeg bringing in settlers.

For American Children

Santa to Skip Over Border

American children living on islands near the international boundary will get gifts this year from a Canadian Santa Claus.

Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce will join for the first time an international relations project of the Bellingham Jaycees, in bringing Christmas to kiddies on both sides of the Canada-U.S. boundary.

Fifteen Victoria Jaycees and crew will leave Shoal Harbor on board K. J. Norgaard's 65-foot yacht Blue Fjord, at 7 a.m. Dec. 21, bound for Roach Harbor and Friday Harbor on San Juan Island, and Deer Harbor on Orcas Island.

The Victoria "Santa Claus ship" will be festooned with colored lights and be fitted out with a 20-foot-high Christmas tree.

Tape-recorded Christmas

carols will be played over a public address system and Santa will hand out comic books, bags of candy and small toys to all the children who meet his ship at the American ports.

Meanwhile, the Bellingham "Christmas ship" will be making its way through other islands on the American side.

The Bellingham vessel will stop at Sidney on the afternoon

of Dec. 21, and will join the Canadian yacht at Ganges, Salt Spring Island, about dusk the same day.

They will tie up overnight at Ganges and go separate ways on Sunday, with the Santa ship visiting Silbell Bay and Kuleet Bay on Vancouver Island, and Kuper Island, while the Christmas ship goes to Saturna, Mayne, Galiano and Pender Islands.

After Flood

Crews Removing Debris from Mine

Workmen were going through the flooded Cowichan Copper Mine at Jordan River yesterday, removing debris from the flow of the Jordan River through the mine.

Mine manager J. R. Billingsly said last night that officials are examining the situation at the flooded mine, with a view to filling in the section of mine flooded by a cave-in early Friday.

He said it will be a few days before the firm knows when

it will be able to take back on some of the 123 miners who were laid off as a result of Friday's cave-in and flooding.

"They will be called back just as soon as we can get organized," he said. But the firm might call back only a few at first, he said.

EQUIPMENT SAFE

He said there seems to have been virtually no damage to equipment from the flooding, and he could not yet estimate

the cost of other types of damage.

The company had planned to fill in the affected section of mine, which had been mined out, anyway.

Thieves Get Coins, Cupcakes

Thieves made off with \$30 in coins and six boxes of cupcakes in two separate break-ins reported to city police overnight Friday.

Mrs. Stuart Smith, 405 Vancouver, told police a thief broke glass in a basement door and stole a \$5 U.S. gold piece and about 15 Canadian silver dollars.

A thief who broke into Arnold's Bakery, 725 Discovery, had to settle for six boxes of cupcakes when he could find no money on the premises.

Hydro Pays Grants Of \$98,817

B.C. Hydro and Power Authority has paid grants of \$39,606.18 to Victoria and \$9,211.16 to Esquimalt.

Hydro manager J. A. McArthur said the grants are based on general and local improvement taxes paid by the utility in 1961. Similar grants were paid last year.

Total payments for this year including school taxes and grants are \$174,015.16 to Victoria and \$12,824.17 to Esquimalt, he said.

In those days the railway went only a few miles beyond Brandon and wagon trains were travelling between Winnipeg and Edmonton. He saw the last such train, a mile long, with French traders and Indians taking trading goods west.

Mr. Crossley thought of moving west and went with four other men to the Peace River district, but Mrs. Crossley felt Oxbow was far enough west.

His one association with arms was during the Riel uprising. He was 22 then and joined the army to oppose the rebels.

Mr. and Mrs. Crossley have six children, three boys and three girls who have given their parents 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

A family dinner is planned for today to celebrate Mr. Crossley's centenary.



Mrs. Beatrice Miller of Beverly Hills, Los Angeles, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James A. Young, 271 Denison Road. A resident of the California city for the past 10 years, Mrs. Miller plans to stay in Victoria until after the festive season.

PERSONAL MENTION

Friday, Dec. 13, the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Pearkes will attend the annual Chamber of Commerce party in the Empress Hotel. Next Sunday they will give their annual Christmas Party at Government House for children of the Protestant Orphanage.

St. Barbara's Dinner

Maj. T. G. Dalzell, C. D., Commanding Officer and Officers of the 5th (B.C.) Independent Medium Battery, Royal Regiment of Canadian Artillery, entertained at their annual St. Barbara's Day dinner Friday night, in the Officers' Mess, Bay Street Armouries. Invited guests were: Brig. E. D. Danby, Commander of B.C. Area; Maj.-Gen. C. A. P. Murison, Brig. F. W. Houghton, Beckford; Col. P. F. Ramsay, Commander 25 Militia Group; Lt.-Col. George Paulin; Lt.-Col. K. Dixon; Lt.-Col. F. D. Nelson; Lt.-Col. W. G. Beevers; His Honor Judge J. B. Clearhax; Maj. R. W. Phipps, and Maj. R. H. Foot.

Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dalzell, West Saanich Road, were honored recently on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. They were entertained by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Dalzell, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Davy, at a gathering in the Davy home on Heron Street.

Christening

Douglas Ernest will be the names given the three-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David J. Harwood of North Vancouver on Sunday when he is christened in St. John's Church, Victoria, by Canon George Biddle. The baby will wear a christening robe made in 1875 by Mrs. Lucy Howe Harwood. Godparents for the child will be Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brant of Lampson Street, Victoria, and Mr. Allan H. Harwood of West Vancouver. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Neil D. McKechnie of St. Ann Street and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Harwood of Hobbs Road. A great-grandmother, Mrs. Aenid Renfro, Lynden, Wash., will be present.



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Gifts Needed for 1,780 Mentally Ill Patients

By EILEEN LEAROLD

The very nature of Christmas with its aspects of love, giving and festivity—makes stark contrasts where these three desirable states do not exist.

When the bells ring out, and the cheery "hello's" are given, what about those who live in the antiseptic world of institutions? Worse still, those who live in the half-shadow world of mental illness.

Added to the plight of those who are mentally sick or retarded is the stigma which unfortunately seems to be felt by some of their close relatives. This "stigma," or some kind of obscure fear, or simply a terrible kind of forgetfulness, often finds the sick person left in a horrifying vacuum of loneliness.

What we are getting around to is a plea for gifts for Victoria's mentally sick. A Christmas present to make them feel they are not isolated from society.

Mrs. John Pearson is chairman of a committee of six women who work for the Mental Health Christmas Gift program of the Canadian Mental Health Association.

Last year, this group personally selected, wrapped and delivered the staggering amount of 1,780 gifts.

So far this year they have not even reached the halfway mark in donated gifts.

The gifts go to the Observation Ward of the Jubilee Hospital (now called the Bay Pavilion), the Colquhoun Mental Hospital, Seven Oaks Home for Mentally Disturbed Children, to outpatients, and to all branches of Escondale including the Crease Clinic and Valleyview hospital.

Escondale comes into the Victoria area because about one-third of the patients are from Victoria area.

"We select these gifts with great care," states Mrs. Pearson. "We shop personally for each gift, and try to choose the sort of thing we would enjoy having ourselves."

Mrs. Pearson says local organizations give volunteer help in wrapping the gifts which come in. Some 20 stores, including the Hudson's Bay, Eaton's, Woodward's, a number of service stations and pharmacies have boxes in town (in Sidney it's Mitchell and Anderson), where gifts



Mrs. John Pearson and her committee personally shop for all gifts—wrap them, too, with volunteer help.—(Robin Clarke photo)

may be deposited, "but we do not find too much in the boxes."

Anyone who will donate a gift for money which is immediately put into a gift may call the White Cross Centre at 2516 Lee Avenue—EV 57811. The centre will gladly pick up gifts from a donor's home.

A great variety of items are needed for all age groups from the children at Seven Oaks (age eight to 12) to the teenagers and old people in other institutions.

Men's gifts are usually in shortest supply, although there are 34 women to every 10 men in mental institutions.

One of the nicest things that happens over Christmas is a dinner at the Jubilee's Observation Ward. At this dinner the nurses cast off the anonymity of uniform and wear party dresses to serve their guests. A gift with each name on it, is placed at individual places.

Lynda's Protector

Secret Agent Learns Too

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—Secret service agents assigned to protect President Johnson's 19-year-old daughter at the University of Texas may find the duty more rewarding than they had expected.

A close friend of Lynda Bird Johnson quoted her as saying with reference to the agent who accompanied her to classes:

"He sits in the class and seems very interested. He's learning things, too."

Lynda Bird is taking a 19-hour class load of English, Latin, history, government, chemistry and Bible. She is a sophomore in the school of arts and sciences.

She was taken from her dormitory by secret service agents Nov. 22 immediately

after President Kennedy was shot in Dallas.

At least three secret service agents have been detailed to guard Miss Johnson. She lives with 800 other women students in Kinsolving dormitory, a university-operated dorm about a block from the campus.

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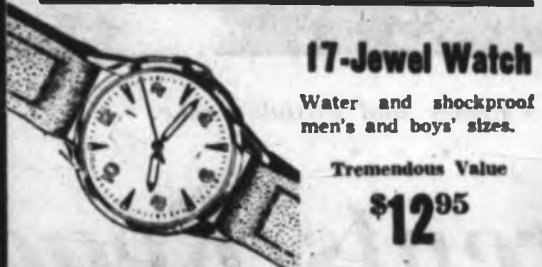
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Now making their home in Victoria are Mr. and Mrs. James Goddard who were married recently at St. Edward's Church in Duncan. Bride is the former Frances Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. C. Holland and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Goddard, all of Duncan.—(Robin Clarke.)



The radiant bride and groom pictured leaving Centennial United Church following their wedding are Mr. and Mrs. William Dealey. The bride is the former Frieda Pearman, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pearman, Rockwell Avenue, and the groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dealey, Obed Avenue. The young couple are now living at 227 Hampton Road.—(Kandid Kamera.)



Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Daryl Jenken pictured leaving St. John's Anglican Church following their wedding. Mrs. Jenken is the former Barbara Jean Turkington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Turkington, 2241 Victor Street, and the groom is the son of Rev. B. A. Jenken of Edmonton and the late Mrs. Jenken. The young couple are living at 1974 Oak Bay Avenue.—(John L. Barnard)



Mr. and Mrs. William M. Trenholme pictured cutting their cake at a reception in Olde England Inn following their wedding at Oak Bay United Church. Bride is the former Sylvia Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Holt, 4919 Cordova Bay Road, and the groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Trenholme, 3200 Midland Road.—(Jus-Rite.)



Mr. and Mrs. Foster Isherwood pictured in the car as they leave St. Mary's Church after the wedding. Both are well known in Victoria's legal circles. Mrs. Isherwood is the former Miss Connie Holmes, daughter of

Mrs. Holmes, Oak Bay Avenue and the late Mr. Charles F. Holmes, and Mr. Isherwood is the son of Mrs. Isherwood, Lansdowne Road, and the late Mr. Thomas C. Isherwood.—(Roy Strable.)



F/O William James Tulloch, RCAF Station at Comox, and his bride, the former Frances Dean McLeod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hibbert McLeod, 4160 Glenford Avenue. The groom is the son of Mrs. Pauline Tulloch, Belleville, Ont. They were married in the church of St. Aidan with the Rev. A. G. MacLeod officiating.—(Ryan Bros.)

Arranged by DOROTHY WROTNOWSKI
Social Editor



Signing the register following their wedding at Victoria Gospel Hall are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor. Bride is the former Jeanette Margaret Wakelin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne E. Wakelin, 3380 Richmond Road. Groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, 2973 McIntyre Road. Mr. William Fairholme officiated at the late autumn wedding.—(S. H. Draper.)



Mr. and Mrs. John Krauchek, now making their home in Vancouver, are pictured at a reception following their recent marriage in St. Mary's Anglican Church. The bride is the former Guyia Joy Bowden, daughter of Mrs. Robert Marconi of Victoria, and the late Mr. G. D. Bowden. Groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Krauchek, Vancouver.—(Jus-Rite.)



Now residing in Vancouver are Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gerald Hatton who were married at Oak Bay United Church. Rev. A. Calder officiated at the wedding for the former Judith Louise Norcross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Norcross, Duncan, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hatton, Bourne-mouth, England.—(Jorgen V. Svendsen.)

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Memo to Santa . . .

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A fantastic amount of home sewing seems to be going on around town . . . and we have it on good authority that the reasons for all this do-it-yourself dressmaking are at least two-fold: First and most important, you can have something unique, individual, custom-made . . . and second, you can have it for less money . . . Certainly when you've seen the gorgeous fabrics at Saba Bros. you'll be tempted to climb on the sewing bandwagon! . . . Right now it's gala clothes for the festive season . . . and yesterday we were looking at Saba's glamorous brocades and laces . . . There's a pure silk brocade in grey and white, or pale green and coral on off-white . . . at \$16.98 a yard . . . but you can get some very nice brocades for as little as \$4.98 . . . Shimmering peau de soie at \$6.98 . . . Celanese de-luxured satin in lovely shades, only \$1.98 . . . A newly-arrived fabric . . . a beige knit interwoven with glittering gold thread . . . 60 inches wide . . . would make a stunning long-sleeved evening gown . . . or a dressy sheath for after dusk . . . There's still time to whip up a knock-out dress for Christmas parties . . . so for inspiration, see the fabrics at Saba Bros. Limited, 1136 Douglas Street, EV 4-6561.

Today, in England, men's and women's fashions share a common theme: a marriage of check with check, or check or stripe with plain.

Treasures from abroad . . .

Just in passing . . . before we get carried away again by the Continental Room in Sydney Reynolds . . . we want to tell you about the bone china holly brooches and earrings which you'll also find in this fascinating shop . . . These would be very gay and seasonal to wear for the next few weeks . . . Red and green, of course, in the shape of sprigs of holly . . . pins are \$3 and earrings \$3.25 . . . And now back to the continental Room with its bibelots and objets d'art . . . items useful, ornamental . . . or just plain beautiful . . . gathered from all over Europe . . . in two sizes and a terrific buy at \$25 and \$27.50 respectively . . . Also in the decanter line, tantalizing sets of two or three decanters from Vienna . . . These bear hand-painted designs, and can be locked . . . Wonderful conversation pieces! . . . Sydney Reynolds, 881 Government Street, EV 3-1361.

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Honeymoon World Trip

LAKE COWICHAN — A colorful East Indian wedding ceremony at the Sikh Temple at Mesachie Lake was witnessed by 300 people from various Vancouver Island and B.C. Mainland centres.

The two principals were Gurdev Dley, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Dley and the late Mr. Dley of Lake Cowichan, and Dr. Gurcharanjit Singh Attariwala, son of Major and Mrs. Gmrag Attariwala of Wrangley City, India.

The bride, prior to her marriage, was employed by the federal government at Ottawa as a bacteriologist. The groom, an eye surgeon who studied at New York, will work for the federal government at Ottawa

following their month-long honeymoon around the world. The couple will make their home in the Canadian capital.

Holly Tea Dec. 10

Happy Valley Guide and Brownies' District Association will hold a Holly Tea and Bazaar on Tuesday, Dec. 10, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the South Vancouver Island Rangers' Hall, Luxton Road.

There will be a cake baking contest for Guides and Brownies and a bread-baking contest for the women in the contest.



Victoria residents Mr. and Mrs. William Adie and four children boarded the P & O-Orient liner Orsova at Vancouver for a voyage which will take them to San Francisco, Long Beach, Honolulu, Suva and Auckland.

The Adies are moving to New Zealand for a year to give their children, ranging in age from nine to five, "the value of a New Zealand education."

Clubs

Council of Women To Hear Barrister

Victoria Council of Women will meet in the music room, Public Library, Monday, Dec. 9, at 2 p.m. Guest speaker is Mrs. Marney M. Stevenson, barrister. Her topic will be discussion of legal problems.

OAP 60

Old Age Pensioners, Branch 60, will hold a meeting in Cade Memorial Hall, Langford, Monday, Dec. 9, at 2 p.m. Members urged to attend to arrange for Christmas dinner Dec. 16.

LEGION

Election of officers will take place at the general meeting of the LA to Branch 172, Royal Canadian Legion, Monday, Dec. 9, at 7:45 p.m. in the hall, 622 Admirals Road.

PYTHIAN SISTERS

Island Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, regular meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 10, at 8 p.m. in

the Knights of Pythias Hall, 723 Cormorant Street. Election of officers to be followed by Christmas party. Members are reminded to bring secret pal gifts for the tree and refreshments for pot-luck supper.

OAK BAY BPWC

Oak Bay Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at Surfside '62 Restaurant, 4558 Cordova Bay Road, Tuesday, Dec. 10, at 6:30 p.m. for the Christmas party.

BRITANNIA No. 7

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Royal Canadian Legion, will meet Tuesday, Dec. 10, at 7:45 p.m., in the auditorium.

New Hydro-Therapy Pool Becoming a Reality

Friends and relatives of patients flocked to the Auxiliary's Christmas bazaar at the Gorge Road Hospital yesterday making the proposed new hydro-therapy pool for the hospital closer to becoming a reality.

Mrs. William E. Morrison, wife of the hospital's administrator, opened the successful affair which realized about \$1,000. The guests were received by Mrs. E. R. Owen, auxiliary president.

Gay Christmas bells and streamers, gold-tinted orna-

mental flowers and balls lent a festive air to the lower floor of the hospital where well-stocked stalls were fast depleted of their interesting gift items by bargain-hunting patrons.

In the toy line there were appealing black-faced lambs, traditional mammy dolls, floppy rag dolls, and miniature doll house furniture.

The novelty stall featured realistic-looking poodle covers designed for the powder room, red Yuletide candles,

Santa Boots for holding flowers as a centerpiece, decorated bars of soaps, and several other bathroom accessories in the Christmas theme.

There were many attractive gift ideas for babies in the knitted goods section, mouth-watering cakes and cookies from the home cooking stall, and gay festive decorations including unusual arrangements using driftwood.

Special feature was the patients' crafts stall which exemplified its overhead sign, "Busy Hands Build Health Through Occupational Therapy." There were beads, braided leather belts, vases, candlesticks, and some woven mats, among the numerous items.

Of special interest were the molded clay ash trays and candle holders with real maple leaves from the hospital grounds pressed in the mold and glazed. How this is accomplished is a story in itself. The patients take the raw clay, knead it, roll it with a rolling pin like pastry, then press the leaves into the mold and it's ready for glazing. All this is done with one purpose in mind, to help the patients to use their hands.

Mrs. Charles Douglas, Mrs. Harold Jackson and Mrs. O. H. Southern were in charge of the luncheon with Mrs. George Callan, Mrs. T. R. Copley and Mrs. G. D. Bellavance in charge of afternoon tea.

Other conveners were Mrs. Jack Cook, Mrs. R. G. Aitken, Mrs. M. K. MacCrae, Mrs. Alfred Peddler, Mrs. Frank Harvey, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. Victor Mawer, Mrs. G. E. Shattock, Mrs. E. C. Brown, Mrs. J. C. Gourlie, Mrs. W. W. McGregor, Mrs. Robert Simm, Mrs. Romaine Grant, Mrs. H. V. O'Reilly, Mrs. G. F. Hilliard, Mrs. Arthur Mawer, Mrs. P. J. Woolley, Mrs. Philip Jackson, Mrs. D. R. John, Mrs. Corrine Coleman, Mrs. A. G. Hamilton, Mrs. W. H. Bradbeer, and the Misses E. Richardson and L. M. Crawford.

Evening Branch Elects Officers

Mrs. E. Webster was re-elected president of the Evening Branch of the Christ Church Cathedral W.A. at the annual meeting held in Memorial Hall.

Other officers elected were vice-president, Miss Amy Hall; recording secretary, Miss Alison Chow; corresponding secretary, Miss Eleanor Fowler; treasurer, Mrs. Beattie Marriott; educational secretary, Miss Dorothy Lucas; extra secretary, Miss Dorothy Lucas; extra cents secretary, Mrs. E. Crerar, united thankoffering secretary, Miss Evelyn Matthews, living message, Mrs. A. Toone; prayer partner secretary, Mrs. I. Neal. Social service committee, Mrs. Brian Whitlow and Mrs. C. Riach.

Reports of the year's activities were given by the retiring recording secretary, Mrs. E. Stewart and treasurer Mrs. B. Marriott.

The president was presented with a bouquet of chrysanthemums in appreciation of her work during the year, by Mrs. B. Murgatroyd. Dean Brian Whitlow spoke to the members.

Ganges Bazaar Nets \$400

Decorated with lighted Christmas trees, streamers and evergreens, Ganges United Church Hall was the scene of the annual Christmas bazaar held by the Mizpah Unit of United Church Women and convened by Mrs. C. W. Leggett. The successful affair, opened by Mrs. J. G. G. Bompas, Victoria, realized over \$400.

Tea conveners were Mrs. F. H. A. Reid and Mrs. J. D. Reid. Those in charge of stalls were: Needlework, Mrs. E. Parsons, Mrs. A. Barber, Miss Mary Lees; home-cooking, Mrs. W. M. Mount, Mrs. J. W. Catto, Mrs. S. Clabourne; candy, Miss Olive Mount, Mrs. S. J. Wagg; Christmas novelties, Miss J. Overend, Mrs. Gordon Scarff, Miss Emily Smith; country store, Mrs. C. W. Leggett; Christmas cards, Mrs. Cyril Wagg.

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Baskets of white chrysanthemums banked Metropolitan United Church last evening for the double-ring ceremony uniting in marriage Virginia Heather Salmond and Mr. Melvin Dale Churchill.

Rev. Dr. F. E. H. James officiated for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Salmond, 1314 Richardson Road, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Churchill, 31 Maquinna Street.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in an exquisite gown of embossed brocade fashioned with a scoop neckline and long buttoned lily-point sleeves. Dainty sweet-heart bows caught the draped fullness in back, giving a bustle effect to the skirt which fell in soft billows to the floor. Her chapel-length veil of hand-rolled nylon tulle misted from a petite coronet of seed pearls. For something old, she wore

her grandmother's heirloom cameo brooch. A strand of cultured pearls, gift of the groom, was her only other jewelry. Little Princess and Brier Cliff roses and freesia were in her bridal bouquet.

Bridesmaid Miss Susan Stevenson wore a pink peau de sole gown with lace top and matching veil. She carried little Princess roses and feathered white chrysanthemums.

Mr. Douglas MacDonald was best man. Mr. Kenneth Salmond, Jr., bride's brother, and Mr. Brock Stevenson were ushers.

Mr. Rob Stevenson proposed the toast to the bride at a reception held at the home of the bride's parents. A three-tiered wedding cake was made by the groom's mother.

For a honeymoon trip to Oregon the bride chose a turquoise Italian knit two-piece suit.



Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clapperton, Monte Creek, B.C., announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Mildred Lorraine, to Mr. Gabor Victor Zellermeier, elder son of the late Mr. Anthony Zellermeier and Mrs. George Szegedy, 2719 Mt. Stephen. The wedding will take place in Kamloops on August 7, 1964.—(Jus-Rite)

Caledonian Society

Fox and Lamb, Mink and Beaver Walk Together at Fashion Show

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society held a gala affair yesterday with a big Christmas tea in Holyrood House and a fur fashion show that had the ladies sighing with longing.

The furs were presented by Scuby Furs Limited and commentator was Nona Damaskie. The three models came from Vancouver.

Holyrood House never looked better than it did Saturday. Decorations were by Mrs. J. Marra and Mrs. G. Guinness. They had masses of holly in silver bowls, a silver tree and poinsettias on stage, but the silver and dotted swiss angels on each tea table were quite beautiful.

Mrs. J. L. W. McLean opened the tea and Miss G. MacKay was convener. At the entrance were stalls of homecooking, and aprons but the furs made the big impact.

High fashion trend this year is two-fur combinations, or "fur on fur," as in a lilac shade smooth muskrat, sheered, bleached and trimmed with a ranch mink collar.

MINK AND LAMB
One of the most striking combinations was a three-quarter coat of Canadian beaver with the skins sewn horizontally and the collar of Norwegian fox in shawl design.

Another stand out was a short jacket with the front panel and ring collar in sapphire mink combined with finely curled lighter grey lamb.

Show stopper was a semi-shaped stole in fine curled Persian black lamb, inlaid for

atripted in fine black French velvet. Overall impression was of an over-size portrait collar which could be put to many uses, all of them giving an air of elegance.

Combined were shining Hudson seal in a casual swaggering style, with high collar and patch pockets of natural Canadian Majestic mink.

Fontana of Italy took Canadian skins, and designed a beautiful full-length Canadian beaver coat with wedding band collar and flowing A line.

While the show was going on, everyone had tea. Hostesses were Mrs. G. Dakers and Mrs. J. McAulay with pourers Mrs. A. Stephen, Mrs. H. Blades, Mrs. J. Dirom and Mrs. J. McAulay.

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"All the boys I know are very nice to me, but they treat me like a buddy. How can I be more attractive and popular?"

Dear "Miss X": I asked Carol Burnett for advice on your behalf. She has won many top honors, including three "Em-

mys" for TV work, as one of the most attractive, awkward, and popular comedienne in show business.

We talked on a day as sun-bright as her curly red hair, curly red eyelashes, and radiant personality. She was sprawled in a deck chair near the pool of a Beverly Hills Hotel, after work for her movie debut in Paramount Studio's comedy: "Who's Been Sleeping In My Bed."

"It seems funny for me to be giving advice on how to be at ease and graceful in teens, because I wasn't," Carol recalled, with a wry grin. "In fact, I first entered 'The Awkward Age' at 9, and have never really outgrown it! When I was 10, I was the tallest girl

in school — 5 feet, 7 inches, which I still am.

"I was much more homely than pretty. The only advantage I had over Miss X was that I didn't wear glasses. But I had buck teeth and those, unlike glasses, were something I couldn't take off! I got used to my teeth and size. She can discover that there are lots of attractive frames for glasses, that do not impair her looks.

"Eyes, like teeth, are something you inherit — do what you can to improve, and accept! That goes for size, too. This I discovered in junior high. I looked in the mirror and saw, suddenly, that what I was doing about my height was terrible. I slumped my shoulders and I wore flats.

"This didn't do a thing for my bosom or legs, and made me look gawky. I slumped when I danced, too. After two dances, the fellow I was with, at a gym dance at Hollywood High, suggested that we play ping pong. I was so relieved! That was one thing I could do!

"I grew up in a neighborhood in which boys outnumbered girls 5 to 1. You'd think that would work out to a girl's advantage. But it didn't for me, until I found out that I had to excel in athletics to be with the boys, and be first choice as runner and favorite fielder. I learned, too, that physical activity can make you feel and look less awkward, more graceful. I found an outlet, in athletics I could do well,

that gave me a bonus in muscular skills.

"Next I took another long look at my clothes on me, in the mirror." Carol winced to remember. "I was wearing frilly things, right for the petite girl, and I couldn't have looked more ridiculous! That's when I learned to wear tailored clothes, suitable for my height and bony build.

"In high school, for activities, I chose journalism and art, and volunteered for whatever chores I could do best. It's important to do what you are most interested in, and then dig in and try to be the best in it. That applies whether it's sewing, machine-shop work, decorating a dance-hall or a Christmas tree! The thing is

to be interested in something, more than in yourself, and to remember that others are more interested in themselves than they ever will be in you!

"It is human to think the world is looking at you, ready to magnify every little thing you might do wrong. I thought I'd die when I broke a pencil and had to walk the whole length of the classroom to sharpen it. I thought everyone was looking at me. It took some growing up to realize that probably most weren't even noticing."

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Dear Ann Landers: Is it possible for a man to be in love with his wife and have an affair with another woman? My husband insists it is, but I have the feeling

he is taking me for an idiot. The woman is 15 years younger than I am and he has seen her half a dozen times. I learned of the affair by accident and told him immediately he could have a divorce. His reply was, "I don't want a divorce. I love you."

When I asked him what was wrong with our marriage he said, "Nothing whatever. I can't think of a thing I would change." When I asked him why he stepped out on me he replied, "Because I am a big jerk."

He has sworn on the family Bible that he will never look at another woman if I will forgive him and not mention this again. Should I believe him? Is it possible that a man who loves his wife would step out on her?

STORMY WEATHER

Dear Stormy: Yes, it's possible—in fact, it happens all the time. Why do they do it? For a variety of reasons—the most common of which is variety. Period. What these Rover Boys get outside of marriage is sex and has nothing whatever to do with love.

I believe your husband is speaking the truth and I hope you will forgive him. I also agree with his self-assessment. He IS a big jerk.

Dear Ann Landers: I asked my dad for a stamp to mail this letter. He asked to whom I was writing. I told him Ann Landers. He said, "Don't forget to tell her we just bought a lovely new home with a rumpus room so you could entertain your friends. And tell Ann Landers we bought you a \$600 bedroom set and that you have your own bathroom and your own telephone and a stereo. She'll know then you have everything a teenager needs to be happy."

It is true—I have all these things and more, but I would gladly give them up if I could just talk to parents about things that matter.

Ever since I was a little girl I have tried to get my mother to talk to me about sex and life, but she always gives me some phony answers or says, "That's not nice." I just couldn't talk to my father about such matters so I am really pretty much alone.

Why are parents like this, and where is a girl 13 years old supposed to get information? — POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL

Dear Girl: Don't be too hard on your parents. If they knew better they would do better. Even though they are adults and have probably seen a good bit of life they are self-conscious and inhibited about sex because this is the way their parents brought them up.

The best place to learn about sex is at home, but because millions of parents are incapable of discussing sex with their children the kids must get their in-



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DEAR KITTE TURMELL: Every once in a while girl will find some morbid attractiveness in my hideous self and, with the tenacity of a rhinoceros, chase after me. The main trouble is that if I am civil to her, it encourages her, and since I don't want to be rude, I'm in a spot. I know how revolting it is to be chased by some unattractive person, so I wouldn't want to affect in that way some girl I liked. Can you tell me (1) how to get the girls to stop chasing me and (2) how I can tell when a girl doesn't like me?

Harold

Dear Harold: Answer 1: Either turn off the magnetism or relax and give the girls the thrill of your smile and a few kind words. A 2: If she doesn't like you there'll be hints of frost.

DEAR KITTE: Please write about this. I'm eleven. Soon my Mother is going to have a baby. Mommy says I must still have a baby-sitter. My Grandparents and Father are trying to make her see I'm old enough to take care of myself. I also have a 9-year-old

sister. Is there anything I can do?

Cynthia

Dear Cynthia: Yes, plenty! Of course there will be more need than ever — for a sitter for you and your 9-year-old sister as well as the baby— whenever your Mother is away. Be glad your Mother wants to feel sure you are well cared for, too. Whenever

Father or Grandparents or others are on duty as sitters, volunteer as an assistant. This will prove how much you are growing up, and prepare you for work as a paid baby-sitter at mid-teens. But right now you still need adult direction; loving care. Now and later, whatever help you can volunteer will endear you to all in the family, and help you to feel closer to your Mother. She'll welcome your help as the oldest daughter!

DEAR KITTE: Your article on music careers, with facts from Henry Mancini, was very interesting. I would like to call attention to the program of the Canadian Federation of Music Teachers' Associations. Canadian teen-agers interested in becoming music teachers

Parish Play

A Parish night with varied entertainment was held recently at St. Luke's Church Hall, with many talented young people performing vocal and instrumental selections. A one-act traditional Chinese play, A Battle of Wits, was presented by the St. Luke's players, directed by Margery Bridgeman.

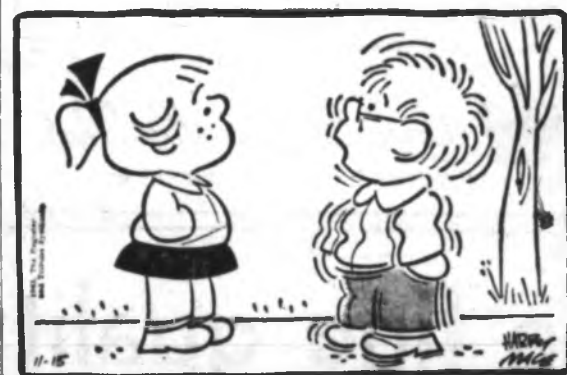
Those performing in the musical part of the program were Yvonne Howland, Michael Langley, Lynn Maggs, Diane Bain, Mary Lou Foster, Roger Beavan, Ronald Jasper, Janet McCandlish, Susan Griffin, Lois Pepper, Lynn Leatham, Pamela Bain, Michele Waters, Patricia Lewis, Julie de Goulier, Penny Beavan, Claudia Edwards, Mary Howland, Julie Gray, Connie Pepper, Joan McCandlish, David Foster.

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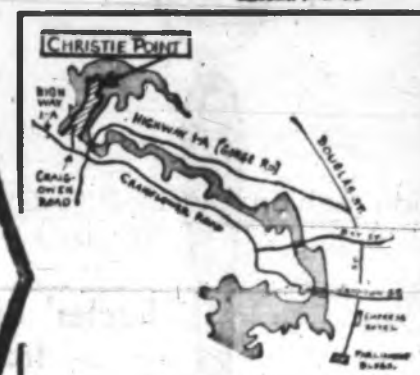
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Full Asking Price \$15,950
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Three bedroom 3-year-old NHA home with extra bedrooms and bathroom. Needs redecoration only. Existing mortgage \$100.00. \$10,000 MUST BE SOLD. Make an offer. A. Fraser, EV 4-5348, EV 5-7371.

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Modern 3-rm. stone bungalow in this high healthy area. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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I would love to pay you in this perfect retirement home. 2 bedrooms, living rm. and kitchen. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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Sun, Space & SEA VIEW
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NEEDS FIXING on 1/2-acre lot. 100 ft. by 100 ft. Oak Bay. 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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Stone living room with fireplace. 2 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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Attractive white stone bungalow, partial view and garden. 2 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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14,900 HIGH QUADRA

4 BEDROOMS VACANT. Newly decorated stone bungalow. Family kitchen, living room, dining room, full basement. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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11,800 EARLY POSSESSION IN THE CITY

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25,750 GORDON HEAD PANORAMIC SEAVIEW

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CADBORO BAY!! 4 BEDROOMS!!

GOOD SIZED living room. ATTRACTIVE fireplace. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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Very attractive 3-year-old 3-room split-level bungalow built for owner. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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DRIVE BY 1531 OAKCREST DRIVE

Attractive home for the family or retired couple. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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Extra large living room and guest dining room. 2 bedrooms, all kitchen. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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"LOOK" \$500 DOWN

Three bedrooms, living room with wall-to-wall carpet and fireplace. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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Good 3-bedroom bungalow, large living room and family room. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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3 BEDROOMS 5 BATHROOMS

Living room, dining room, den and kitchen. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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\$1500 DOWN 4 ROOM STUCCO FULL BASEMENT OIL HEAT

This cute bungalow is good buying. Living room, 2 bedrooms, 3rd bath, full basement. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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NEARS & WHITE OAK BAY REALTY LTD.

2148 OAK BAY AVENUE

\$320 DOWN INCLUDING LOT! 6% NHA LEGAL FEES AND PLAN INCLUDED

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3 BEDROOMS FULL BASEMENT RAMPUP ROOM CARPORT AND SUNDK 1150 SQ FT Full Price \$15,300

Call John Marshall, EV 5-7771

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This bungalow has been recently redecorated and features: copper plumbing, separate DR, family size kitchen and two bedrooms. There is also a double garage. 1st floor has 2 bedrooms. 2nd floor has 1 bedroom. Full basement with ramped up driveway. 0-0-0-M. Heating. Owner transferred.

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would consider one without. Attention
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old. Should be in nice condition
and fair value. Around \$10,000.
with reasonable terms. If you have such
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which is anxious to get settled.
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Before and May. Please contact my
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For modern 3-room bungalow with
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If it is suitable for rental purposes.
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Deal in Oak Bay. Owner, EV 3-2021.
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\$12 ACRES
In the Otter Point area, this well
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\$12,500 down, the balance at \$20
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vately only. If interested, apply in
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20 ACRES—GOOD WATER.
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home with small scale cattle breed-
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Well watered, long standing farm
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TENDERS FOR PAINTING
SEALED TENDERS will be received
by The Librarian, Victoria Public
Library, 1215 Blanshard Street, Vic-
toria, B.C., up until noon on Tues-
day, December 10, 1963, for interior
painting of the Library Building in
accordance with specifications which
may be obtained from this office.
Each Tender must be accompanied
by a Certified Deposit Cheque equal
to 10% of the total amount of the
Tender made payable to the City Treasurer
and enclosed in a sealed envelope
marked "Tender for Library Painting".
The lowest or any tender will not
necessarily be accepted.
O. P. SHARPE,
City Purchasing Agent,
City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
December 8th, 1963.

TENDERS FOR DISPOSITION
SEALED Tenders will be received
by the City Clerk, City Hall, Blanshard
Square, Victoria, B.C., up until noon
on Thursday, December 12th, 1963,
for the demolition of the condemned
building situated in the City of Vic-
toria and known as:
600 Quadra Street.
Specifications governing this work
and terms of tender may be obtained
from this office.
This tender must be accompanied
by a Certified Deposit Cheque for
\$100.00 made payable to the City
Treasurer and enclosed in an envelope
marked "Tender for Demolition".
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O. P. SHARPE,
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City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
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'They Can Go Broke,' Says Judy
And Insurance Men Blow Tops

WINNIPEG (CP)—Federal
Health Minister Judy LaMarsh
Thursday brought the ire of



NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that, pursuant
to Standing Order, no Petition
for any Private Bill shall be received
by the House in its forthcoming Ses-
sion after December 10, 1963, the 1st day
of February, 1964.
Dated December 2nd, 1963.
Boris K. DeLoach,
Clerk of the Legislative
Assembly,
British Columbia.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of
EDITH PAGE HOLMES, late of 1278
Pacifica Avenue, Victoria, B.C., DE-
CEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
creditors and others having claims
against the estate of the above-named
deceased are hereby required to send
them to the undersigned Administrator
with the Will annexed at 538 Beaton
Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 4th
day of January 1964, after which
date the Administrator will distribute
the said estate amongst the persons
entitled thereto, having regard only to
the claims of which he shall have
received notice.

JOHN MICHAEL DAVID TOTTILL
Administrator with the Will Annexed,
By CRESE & COMPANY, his solicitors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of
James Graham Bole, late of 908
Farmers Street, Victoria, B.C.,
deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
creditors and others having claims
against the estate of the above-named
deceased are hereby required to send
them to the undersigned Executor,
P.O. Box 1232, Victoria, B.C., before
the 31st day of December, 1963, after
which date the executor will dis-
tribute the estate amongst the persons
entitled thereto, having regard only to
the claims of which they have
received notice.

JOYCE EDITH DOIG
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CANADIAN TRUST CO.,
By their Solicitors,
Messrs. Burns, Couper, Macdonald
& Roberts.

EVANS, COLEMAN AND EVANS LTD.,
VICTORIA, B.C.
TENDERS
for construction of
LINE PUTTY PLANT
Sealed Tenders clearly marked as
above will be received by A. B. BAN-
DERSON AND COMPANY LTD., 324
Broughton Street, Victoria, B.C., until
4:00 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time)
Monday, December 23rd, 1963.
Drawings and Specifications may be
obtained at the offices of A. B. BAN-
DERSON AND COMPANY LTD., 324
Broughton Street, Victoria, B.C., on
deposit of Ten Dollars (\$10.00).
The deposit will be refunded to un-
successful Tenderers; if the Drawings
and Specifications are returned, in good
condition, within 30 days of the award
of the contract.

WEEKEND
AUCTION NOTICE
TWO THURS. 10 A.M.
SALES 7:30 P.M.

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'56 OLDSMOBILE Sedan
'54 JAGUAR Mk 7 Clean
'53 PONTIAC Station Wagon
'54 FORD SEDAN (Unrestored)

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Sofas - Bedroom Suites
Coffee and End Tables
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Washing Machines
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VERY EXPENSIVE
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Beautifully lined in felt, cus-
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R.O.I., R.W.S., F. Roybet, Francis Towne, H. W. B.
Davis, R.A., A. D. McCormick, R.I., R.O.I., David
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insurance executives down-
upon herself with a remark to
the Manitoba Farmers Union
that "insurance and trust com-
panies can go bankrupt like
any other company."

Miss LaMarsh told the
MFU's annual convention that
while it is feasible for any com-
pany to go bankrupt, govern-
ments must always fulfil their
obligations.

She had been speaking about
the proposed national contribu-
tory pension plan, saying that
because it would be govern-
ment-backed, its stability would
be assured.

David E. Kilgour, president
of Great West Life Assurance
Company, said, "If she is being
correctly quoted, she has clear-

ly done a great disservice to
the Canadian public and, the
record of trusteeship and gov-
ernment supervision that has
served Canada so well.

NAME BLACKENED
"No policy holder in a Cana-
dian life insurance company
has ever failed to receive every
dollar promised to him and it
is a most unhappy state of af-
fairs when the minister of the
crown blackens the good name
of an industry which has so
consistently served the public
well."

F. A. Lang, president of Cana-
dian Premier Life Insurance
Company, said, "General Motors,
even the Government of
Canada, can go broke. But the
record speaks for itself."

Threat to Kill Queen
Admitted, Say Police
LONDON (UPI) — George
William Mead, a 43-year-old
clerk, was remanded in cus-
tody Thursday for trial at the
central criminal court on a
charge of writing a letter
threatening to kill Queen
Elizabeth.

The letter said, "Oh, my
heavenly Father, this nation
has forced me into the position
where I will have to shoot Her
Majesty the Queen and shoot
to kill."

The police said Mead made
a statement saying: "About
five years ago I lived with a
Mrs. Chataway and she was
the mother of my son. She
went back to her husband.
They asked me not to follow.
I promised not to and I never
followed."
"Three weeks later, people
in my area said that Mrs.
Chataway was a prostitute. I
said that I would give my life
if ever Mrs. Chataway and her
child were in trouble. I then
decided to write a note to God
Himself saying that I would
shoot the Queen and shoot to
kill."

BIG GEORGE! by Virgil Partch
VICTORIA, B.C.



"Take it easy on him, Officer. He's just learning."

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Give her a holiday all year Let G-E do all the dishes!

After a lovely meal . . . give Mum a real treat, a G-E Portable Dishwasher that just rolls up to the table is easily loaded (holds up to 16 place settings) on its rubber coated racks and off it goes, to the kitchen to do all the work. It plugs in, the water connects through an adapter to your kitchen tap and it's all ready . . . just turn on the water, set the dial and she can go back and enjoy her well earned rest! The dishes are washed by 3 different power sprays, emerge clean and shining already to be put away! Plastic liner minimizes chipping; portability means no expensive built-ins, this machine you can take with you! Price **299⁹⁵**

CDP \$15 monthly

The BAY, Major Appliances, 3rd

Gifts to Make a House Truly Your Home!



Colonial Hardwood Rocker

Solid maple authentically styled in high back Salem design ensures real relaxation that everyone may enjoy!

Price **22⁹⁵**

The BAY, Furniture, 4th



G-E De Luxe Frying Pan

Frying pan with all the features to feed the family in a hurry! Lightweight cast aluminum pan 11" square, complete with lid, cord and control, leaves pan completely immersible for easy cleaning.

Price **23⁹⁵**

The BAY, Housewares, lower main



Now G-E Ironing Ease!

She can use this iron for spraying, steaming or dry ironing on the most delicate fabrics thanks to the colored keyed fabric dial with "wash and wear settings." New water level indicator, too.

Price **21⁹⁵**

The BAY, Housewares, lower main



G-E Coffee Percolator

Coffee as your family likes it . . . mild, medium or strong, 2 to 9 cups brewed, or 14 cups instant coffee, ready in a minute, stays hot automatically, has stainless steel body, chrome plate exterior to keep it looking brand new!

Price **29⁹⁵**

The BAY, Housewares, lower main



G-E Toaster

"Toast to your taste every time" . . . it's yours with a color control selection; comes in an easy-to-clean design in gleaming chrome with 6-foot cord. Two-slice model.

Price **19⁹⁵**

The BAY, Housewares, lower main



De Luxe G-E Kettle

Hot water in minutes when time is precious; no worry about boiling dry, the automatic safety will switch off! Attractive, gleaming chrome shape.

Price **12⁹⁵**

The BAY, Housewares, lower main



Have Your Children's Picture Taken with Santa

Beautiful natural color prints in an attractive Santa folder.

Santa's hours:
Weekdays: 10 to 12; 1 to 4. Evenings: 7 to 9:30 p.m. Saturdays: 9:30 to 10, 10:30 to 12, 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.



Color and Comfort!

A wonderful accent to any room, toss cushions in soft corduroy or shimmering satin (buoyant foam filling) in burgundy, gold, brown, persimmon, blue, green, rose. 15" diameter.

Price, each **1⁹⁵**

The BAY, Draperies, 3rd



Embroidered Cases

Snowy white case with beautifully-done hand embroidery in various colors. Petit point, criss cross, spoke and hem stitched finish. Boxed for giving.

Prices from **1⁹⁵ - 2⁹⁵ - 3⁴⁰** pr.

The BAY, Staples, 3rd



Community Flatware

Community with an extra overlay of solid silver on hard-wearing areas, comes in Morning Rose, Lady Hamilton, White Orchid, South Seas or Affection patterns; stores in handsome drawer chest.

Price **27⁹⁵**

The BAY, Silverware, Jewelry, Main



Hoover Diamatic

With the famous "beats as it sweeps" action, comes complete with all the de luxe attachments.

Price **149⁹⁵**

CDP \$10 The BAY, Floor Care, 3rd



De Luxe Hoover Polisher

With twin counter rotating brushes and high-speed motor to give a quick, high shine to her floors. Bumper guard, 20-ft. cord and felt pads.

Price **29⁹⁵**

CDP \$5 The BAY, Floor Care, 3rd



Flootwood Radio

AM, FM, 5-tube chassis with large speaker for excellent tone. High styled plastic mantel model in Sandstone or Persimmon will enhance any room.

Price **49⁹⁵**

CDP \$5 The BAY, Radio, TV, 3rd



Portable Stereo by Flootwood

A compact, quality unit with 4-speed BSR automatic changer, separate volume controls, de luxe 6-tube chassis. Blue or brown with white.

Price **79⁹⁵**

CDP \$7 The BAY, Radio, TV, 3rd



Ronson Table Lighter

Smoothly styled modern table lighter for home or office. Lights with a touch of the finger. Choice of striking ebony or classic white and gold.

Price **8⁹⁵**

The BAY, Tobacco, main



Crystal Boudoir Lamps

Four styles to make her boudoir light up with femininity. Approximately 16" high with beautifully cut crystal base and hand made shades. Price

11⁹⁵

The BAY, Lamps and Pictures, 4th



Royal Doulton Figurines

A gift of traditional good taste that she will truly cherish.

Price **34⁹⁵**

"Monica" **15⁹⁵** "Peggy" **16⁹⁵**

The BAY, Chinaware, 3rd



Royal Albert "Old Country Roses"

Add to her set or thrill her with a complete Tea or Dinner service of this gracious china, scalloped edges, gold trimmed, for example 5-pc. place setting.

Price **11⁹⁵**

The BAY, Chinaware, 3rd



Poker Table Top

A round folding vinyl top with green felt centre that converts your card table in minutes for the game. Choice of green, tan or red for dice and counters. Folds away easily.

Price **32⁹⁵**

The BAY, Furniture, 4th



Telephone "Gossip" Bench

Bronzeframe with brown vinyl covered seat and arborite table top. Room for telephone book. Takes little space yet offers comfort while phoning.

Price **17⁹⁵**

The BAY, Furniture, 4th

Bolivia Grab

Hostages For Reds

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP)—Three U.S. government officials, a Peace Corps volunteer, 16 Bolivian technicians and one German were seized at dawn Saturday by anti-government miners and were being held as hostages for the release of three Communist labor leaders.

The Americans, seized with COMIBOL — Corporation Minera de Bolivia — technicians were:

Thomas M. Martin, United States Information Service assistant information officer; Michael A. Kristula, USIS assistant information officer; Bernard Rifkin, labor adviser with the Agency for International Development, and Robert Fergstrom, Peace Corps volunteer.

ASSEMBLY HELD

The tin miners held an assembly Saturday morning and resolved to hold the Americans and the technicians prisoners until the three Communist labor leaders being held by the government are released, U.S. sources said.

The miners have promised COMIBOL headquarters that the hostages will not be harmed.

The Communist labor leaders the miners wish released are Federico Escobar, Irineo Pimentel and a man identified by Phillips as Zaral.

WELL TREATED

The U.S. Embassy in Bolivia has been in communication by radio with Martin, one of the seized U.S. officials.

He reported that he and the other U.S. officials are safe and being well treated.

As the kidnapping became known, the Catavi Miners Union announced it was joining a strike to obtain the release of the Communist leaders, held as alleged subversives. About 6,500 of the 20,000 mine workers in the nationalized system are at Catavi, headquarters of COMIBOL.

Catavi is considered a hotbed of government opposition.

Pacifists Declare War

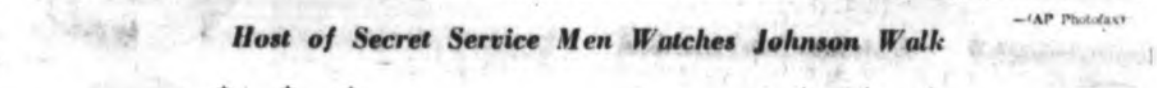
Aggressive Toys Smashed

MUNICH (AP)—The smiling young man took the toy tank from the little boy, put it down on the sidewalk of one of this city's busiest streets—and smashed it to pieces with a wooden hammer.

The man then handed the boy a streamlined clockwork automobile. The boy was equally happy with his new, and bigger toy. And so was the young man—a member of a West German pacifist movement which every Christmas time declares war on "toys of aggression."

The pacifists, whose headquarters are in Munich, approach any child carrying a war-like toy, such as a tank, rocket or even a lead soldier and offer to exchange it for a better quality, but peaceful toy.

Once the bargain has been struck the pacifists then smash up the military toy in a public demonstration against compulsory military service.



Host of Secret Service Men Watches Johnson Walk

New Strongman

Dashing Soldier Sweeps Viet Nam

HOI AN, South Viet Nam (AP)—In this remote coastal town, the man who is fast becoming South Viet Nam's most popular figure wound up with spectacular flourishes Saturday a stumping tour of villages and hamlets near the Communist border.

His swashbuckling manner captivated villagers. His words came through forcefully. With a joke, he answered catcalls. Students lugged him on their shoulders.

Some saw potential danger in him; others said he is just what South Viet Nam needs.

He is Maj. Gen. Ton That Dinh, 37, a hero of the coup that toppled the regime of President Ngo Dinh Diem and his brother Nhu Nov. 1-2.

Dinh gave his final speech of the tour from a balcony at provincial headquarters in Hoi An, 150 miles southeast of Communist North Viet Nam.

STUDENTS CHEER

Finishing with a characteristic flurry of gestures, Dinh stood back as 5,000 students burst into cheers. Then the students charged up the steps, hoisted him to their shoulders and carried him off.

As he passed through the crowd, he called out:

NOT POLITICIAN

"I am not a politician as some of you newsmen seem to think."

But the fact is this boyish-looking military officer is emerging as the strongest national figure in Viet Nam.

Since the deaths in the coup of President Diem and his brother, the country has been under the control of a revolutionary junta headed by Maj. Gen. Duong Van Minh and Maj. Gen. Tran Van Dong.



Ton That Dinh

Toronto, New York, London

Worried West Turns Out The Guard

By the Canadian Press

Security consciousness in the wake of President Kennedy's assassination was evident Saturday in Toronto, London and New York.

Prime Minister Pearson is spending the weekend in Toronto and is being heavily guarded by police.

Mr. Pearson, who spoke Friday night at the University of Toronto's Victoria College, said later there was no necessity for police to give him special protection.

Rites Today

In New York, one of the tightest security plans in Manhattan's history has been set up for today's visit of President Johnson to attend the funeral of Herbert H. Lehman, a former New York state governor.

In London, the 9:30 p.m. Saturday deadline set in an assassination threat against Harold Wilson, Labor party leader, posed with Scotland Yard able to report: "Everything is quiet at Mr. Wilson's house."

Two Letters

Police guards were doubled after two threatening letters were received Tuesday — one sent to Scotland Yard and the other to the offices of a national daily newspaper.

Mr. Wilson said the threats probably were the work of "an unbalanced person who is harmless."



One Bobby Guards Wilson

Berlin Christmas

REDS KEEP WALL SHUT

BERLIN (AP)—Hopes of West Berliners for a breach in the wall during the Christmas season faded Saturday night.

The East German regime rejected a West German offer to negotiate issuance of passes to West Berliners wanting to visit relatives and friends in the east sector during the holidays.

The East Germans said they would talk only to the West Berlin city administration on the matter and any move to pull the West German government into the act was an attempt to torpedo the whole project.

The statement repeated the Communist position that West Berlin has an independent status and should be turned into a neutralized free city.

Up to the time the statement was issued, there had been widespread optimism that a Yuletide arrangement might be possible for the first time since the wall was built in August, 1961. Hundreds of thousands of Berliners who have relatives or friends in the eastern part of the city had been excited about the prospects raised in an East German letter to Mayor Willy Brandt.

ISSUE PASSES

The letter proposed that East German permit offices be set up in West Berlin to issue passes to West Berliners for visits in East Berlin between Dec. 15 and Jan. 5. It also said East German Deputy Premier Alexander Abusch was ready to discuss the proposal with Brandt.

Brandt passed the proposal on to the Bonn government, which instructed its chief representative for trade with East Germany to take charge of the negotiations.

SPECULATION

Then word in Bonn that the government "accepted the intention of the Eastern side" prompted speculation that the deal was all but sealed.

But the Communist conditions for the passes—establishing offices in West Berlin—were virtually the same ones put forward by the East Germans and rejected by the West in previous years. Brandt, aware of that fact, quickly issued a statement warning that there was "no reason for hope." He added:

However, that his administration would do everything possible to "rectify the inhuman consequences" of the Communist wall.



Brandt

What'll He Do For Encore?

PACIFICA, Calif. (AP)—Santa Claus parachuted from a light plane about 7,500 feet over a shopping centre parking lot Saturday in a bid to make a spectacular entrance.

Carefully, confidently, Santa glided downward—smack into the Pacific Ocean.

Four passing surfboard riders rescued the easily-floating Santa—with all those pillows, who wouldn't float?—and carried him toward the shore.

Santa (How Young, 25, a veteran sky diver), regaining a bit of his jovial disposition, stepped ashore to greet a throng of cheering kiddies.

Then his pants fell down.

Baby Sole Survivor As Train Kills 11

MIDLAND CITY, Ala. (AP)—A one-year-old girl was the only survivor of a car-train smash Saturday in which 11 members of her family died.

The child, Margaret Ann Langford, was in serious condition with head injuries.

The highway patrol said the 12 were in an old-model station wagon which was rammed broadside by the Atlantic Coast Line railroad freight at a crossing within the city limits.

Rufus Riley and Henry Williams said they were the first to arrive at the scene.

"I looked up across a clear spot when I heard the train blow its whistle twice," Riley said. "I saw the station wagon about to cross the tracks. It rolled onto the tracks and apparently stalled. The train hit it and knocked it about 100 yards down the track."

"When we got there, there was a deadly quiet. There was no noise, there just wasn't anything happening. It was so quiet. There was no moaning."

Those killed outright were identified as Mr. and Mrs. Henry Langford, their children, Ray Allen, 10, and Jeannie, 6; their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Kenneth Langford and three of her children, Henry Allen, 3, Vernelle and Judy Carol, and a second daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Langford. Margaret Ann's mother.

Another of the Langfords' sons, Donald, 18, and Mrs. Kenneth Langford's daughter, Shirley Ann, 7, died in a hospital about three hours later.

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'Buffoon' Once Called Mao Old Galosh

LONDON (UPI)—A Chinese magazine said Saturday that Nikita Khrushchev once called Mao Tse-tung a "worn-out galosh" that should be discarded.

The disclosure, in the official English-language Peking Review, underscored the strong personal animosity between the two Communist leaders stemming from the Moscow-Peking political and ideological quarrel.

The Peking Review said Khrushchev attacked Mao at the banquet of the political consultative conference of the Warsaw Treaty signatories on Feb. 4, 1960, nearly four years before the party dispute burst into the open.

Khrushchev, the publication said, referred to Red China's ruler as "a man old, but unwise, (who) reminds one of a worn-out galosh (overshoe) which can only be put in a corner of a room to be admired."

Mao, who will be 70 years old this month, has been reliably reported to rate himself above Khrushchev intellectually and as the new, true prophet of marxism, aiming at the supreme leadership of international Communism.

The Chinese revolutionary leader, writer, poet, marxist theoretician and one-time athlete has been authoritatively reported to oppose a settlement with Russia so long as Khrushchev rules the Kremlin.

Peking recently was reported to have asked for the removal of the Kremlin's leadership, implying the removal of Khrushchev himself, as the preliminary for a realignment of the Moscow-Peking axis.

The Peking review accused Khrushchev of "stupidity" for putting missiles into Cuba which could never save Cuba but only provoke attack from the United States.

Therefore, when Khrushchev removed the missiles from Cuba he was not an angel saving the world, but a comrade correcting a mistake."



Climax to Career

World title was long time coming for Joey Giardello, 33 years old and 16 years a professional, but it came last night in Atlantic City when he upset

Dick Tiger for middleweight championship. Here Joey lands left to body on way to decision.—(AP Photo-fax)

United Finds Scoring Punch To Defeat Westminster, 4-2

By JIM TAYLOR

It took Victoria United nine games to score their first nine goals and 44 minutes to get the next four.

With no warning whatever, United looked like things could only get worse. United redoubled its offence yesterday and beat a scrappy New Westminster Royals club, 4-2, for its third victory in the Pacific Coast Soccer League.

Getting fine distribution from the half line, United's forwards finally started shooting, running and making plays.

United scored five goals. If you care to count a second-half effort by Pat Mulcahy which put the ball in his own net. And even Mulcahy picked a corner.

Yesterday's scores: VICTORIA 4, New Westminster 2; North Shore 3, West Vancouver 1.

Next United game: Sunday, Dec. 15, vs. Columbia, Callister Park.

work. Looking stronger on the wings with newcomers Jim Clarke and Ron Pedersen in action, the club did all its scoring in the first half and could have had a half dozen more goals in the second with a shade more finish.

Actually, United scored five goals. If you care to count a second-half effort by Pat Mulcahy which put the ball in his own net. And even Mulcahy picked a corner.

SCORES TWO
George Paul, back at centre-forward, scored two goals, Russ Ball and Ole Owens getting the others. United has 12 goals to show for the season, five from Ball and four from Paul.

Royals got their only goal of the first half on a penalty shot by Jack James after Owens was called for handling a ball in the penalty area. Mulcahy's effort came with 28 minutes gone in the second half, when he and goalie Barry Sadler got their signals crossed on an attempted pass back and Mulcahy passed one way as Sadler went the other.

Royals, perhaps the youngest club in the league, made a

real scrap of it once the score was cut to 4-2, and it took some fine work by Sadler in the late stages to keep them from scoring again.

United is now tied for fifth place with Seattle Hungarians, but only two points out of third place. Next big test comes Sunday, when they travel to Callister Park to meet Columbia.

Columbia and Firefighters play first at Callister while the first-place Canadians meet Hungarians in Seattle.

REAL TROUBLE

If United can retain the spirit and drive that marked yesterday's game, they could give Columbia real trouble. All four of their goals were well taken, and although there

were numerous missed chances in the second half there was no let-up in effort.

Paul got the first goal at 23 minutes, after Ball had fanned on a ball put in beautifully by Clarke. Nine minutes later, Owens drove a low, wicked shot past Csaba Kondora after a corner by Pedersen.

James' penalty goal made it 3-1, but Paul was back with one minute left, timing it perfectly to head in a long shot by fullback Jim Hawthorne.

Victoria United-Barry Sadler; Jim Hawthorne; Ron Jenkins; George Paul; Pat Mulcahy; Ole Owens; Ron Pedersen; Russ Ball; George Paul; Tony Boun; Jim Clarke; Reserve-Henry Van der Horst; Mike Mars; Andy Chalk; Les Wilson; John Wilson; Jim Thompson; Bob Gashford; Don Deaton; John Newbold; John Dutt.

Chinooks Jolted But Win, 72-70

VICTORIA CHINOOKS GP W L Pts
Vancouver 10 7 3 21
YVCA 9 6 3 18
Kerrisdale 8 5 3 13
S.W. 7 4 3 10
N. Shore 6 3 3 9
Westminster 5 2 3 7
Vancouver 4 1 3 5

Last night's scores: CHINOOKS 72, Mounties 70; Seattle 70, Adams 57. Next game: Sunday, Chinooks vs. YVCA, North Vancouver.

VANCOUVER (Special)—Victoria Chinooks had a scare thrown into them here last night, but edged North Shore Mounties, 72-70, for their seventh straight victory in the Inter-City Junior Basketball League.

Out of action for two weeks, Chinooks looked rusty most of the way although they led from the start. Ken Gregory scored 25 points and John Lauvaas added 15, while Len Slade scored 20 for the improving Mounties.

Chinooks are now two points ahead of Vancouver YVCA, Kerrisdale Merchants and CKY Saints, who beat New Westminster Adanacs, 70-54, last night behind the 34-point performance of Neil Williscroft.

The senior Bays beat Vic High Totems, 45-27, as Brian MacKenzie scored 16 points, and the junior club downed Central Junior High, 35-27.

Oak Bay beat Burnside 8, Number 8, 34-20. Margaret 2, Mackenzie 18. Vic High — Hornal 1, Stubbings 5, Gregory 4, Frangione 4, Lennie 4, Spivey 2, Total—29.

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4-Seattle, Powers (Fletcher, Sherman) 1:15.

Leafs Stop Black Hawks, 3-0 Fleming Sparks Classic Brawl

Who's afraid of the Chicago Black Hawks? Toronto Maple Leafs chorused in defiance Friday.

Last night, before 14,325 wildly-cheering fans at Maple Leaf Gardens, the Leafs proved it wasn't them.

Not only did an almost-perfect defensive performance end a Chicago streak at 10 unbeaten games but the Leafs took on the Hawks in the wildest National Hockey League brawl of the season late in the third period.

Leafs were safely ahead, 3-0, in a game which had steadily threatened to erupt when

Fleming was given a penalty while the semi-conscious Shack struggled to get back on his feet. Before he made it all the way, teammate Bob Baun had gone after Fleming in the penalty box.

Officials were unable to get things quietened down and it was less than a minute before Fleming was out on the ice wondering which of several Leafs he would have to battle.

Both benches emptied and it took about 20 minutes to get everything under control. Before it happened, Baun, Dick

Duff and one or two other Leafs had a go with Fleming, the Leafs' Carl Brewer and Murray Balfour of the Hawks had tumbled into the Toronto players' bench and a half-dozen other tussles had cropped up.

Fleming, now leading the league with 84 minutes, drew a major penalty for appearing to fight, a misconduct penalty for continuing to fight and a game misconduct for continuing to continue.

Stan Mikita got a major and misconduct, Chico Maki a misconduct and Balfour a major and a game misconduct. For the Leafs, Baun got a major, misconduct and game misconduct, Ron Stewart a major and misconduct and Larry Hillman a major and misconduct.

COUGH UP SOON

All together, the wild melee produced 125 minutes in penalties and a considerable sum in fines yet to be tabulated.

As to the hockey action, the Leafs kept the Hawks bottled up with a ruggedly solid defence and steady goaling by

Don Simmons, who registered his second successive shutout. Leafs scored at a goal-scoring pace. George Armstrong got the first scoring shot on a power play, Frank Mahovlich the second goal on a beautiful individual effort and Shack the third after stealing the puck from Elmer Vasko.

Other games last night saw Montreal's amazing Canadiens hold second place with a 5-2 victory over Detroit Red Wings in Montreal and Boston Bruins make a sieve out of Jacques Plante in outscoring New York Rangers, 8-6, in Boston.

Henri Richard, who hadn't scored a goal since Nov. 9, led Canadiens with two goals while ex-Ranger Dean Prentice scored the last two goals of the game at Boston to break a 6-6 tie.

CHIEFS

Defeat

Nuggets

Victoria Haida Chiefs took shooting practice last night at Central Junior High School. Watched closely by about 40 wives and close friends, Chiefs trounced the visiting Renton Nuggets, 113-62, in an exhibition basketball game.

Every Chief played and scored against the outclassed visitors. High scorer was Pete Simmonds with 21 points. Soderlund scored 21 for Renton.

Chiefs — Wilson 12, Simmonds 21, Lorrimer 12, Steele 6, Martin 12, McCulloch 11, Cunningham 12, Davis 8, Soderlund 12, Galloway 4, Total—113. Nuggets — Ward 17, Donnelly 10, Cuy 6, Northcutt 4, Soderlund 21, Young 4, Henderson, Olson, Total—62.

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Giardello Upsets Champion Tiger

By JACK HAND

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP)—Joey Giardello, a battle-scarred veteran with a troubled past, won the world middleweight boxing crown from Nigeria's Dick Tiger Saturday night in 15 rounds on a decision that was widely cheered by a big crowd at Convention Hall.

The 33-year-old Giardello, a pro for 16 years, was given eight rounds by referee Paul Cavaleri, the sole official. He voted five for Tiger, the 3-1 favorite, and called two rounds even.

OLD PATTERN

Giardello used the old pattern of jab, sharpshoot and move against an ever-preserving opponent. Tiger missed often and seemed to have trouble catching up with Paul Joey who used the ring to his advantage.

There were no knockdowns and neither fighter appeared to be in trouble at any time as Giardello took an early lead, quickly widened it and closed strong.

MISS BEFORE

Giardello had missed on one previous try for the 160-pound crown when he fought a 15-round draw with Gene Fullmer in 1960. Since then, Tiger had won the title from Fullmer and twice defended against him.

Tiger, unbeaten in 10 fights over a three-year span, had not fought since he whipped Fullmer last August in his native Nigeria. At 159 pounds, Tiger had trouble untracking himself against an elusive target.

WILD TIGER

Giardello, 158, flicked a left jab, moved away and then cut loose with his right hand at long range. Tiger stalked but failed to throw enough punches. When Tiger did cut loose, too many were wild and too many were blocked.

Tiger, whose real name is Dick Dethu, was making his third defence. Both the others had been against Fullmer, from whom he won the title Oct. 23, 1962 in San Francisco.

LONG STRUGGLE

It was the climax of a long uphill battle for Giardello, born in Brooklyn, July 16, 1930 as Carmine Tillelli. He picked up the name Joey Giardello while in the Army and stuck with it all the way. He was in trouble with the law in 1955 for assault on a gas station attendant and served time in jail.

Ringfighters had the idea they were watching the same old movie, over and over. Giardello waited; Tiger waited. Then Gi-

ardello would flash out a jab which Tiger would block. A quick burst from Tiger would go wild or be blocked. Joey would rip in a quick counter right or left and that would be it.

At the end, the wild-eyed handlers from Joey's corner

didn't wait for the decision to be announced. They picked up Giardello and hoisted him on their shoulders while referee Cavaleri tallied his card.

It was a bitter defeat for Tiger, who took intense pride in his title and all it meant for his native land.

IT BEATS ME

By Jim Tang

SITE FOR LIONS? : J. J. Timmis, headmaster of University School, thinks that he may have the kind of facilities that B.C. Lions need for their training camp, and might just be interested in talking business about them.

"We have probably the best dining hall in the province," Mr. Timmis said, pointing out that the kitchen staff has to cater to an enrollment of 170 students during the school season and is well set up to take care of the needs of 50 to 60 hungry football players.

Examinations would provide the Lions with sleeping accommodation, enabling coaches to keep bed checks without undue difficulties. There is a heated swimming pool and a good playing field as well as lockers, showers and changing rooms.

Herb Capozzi, general-manager of the Lions, stated that he believed his club had investigated University School facilities here earlier but Mr. Timmis has no knowledge of this. In any event, the fact that the Lions did look at Victoria accommodation somewhere indicates they were interested in Victoria as a training site. Mr. Timmis appears quite willing to take it from there.

BOMBERS DID COLLECT: For the benefit of the two fellows who apparently got into a good argument over the matter, Winnipeg Blue Bombers did collect this season from the Western Football Conference equalization pool.

Figures are not absolutely accurate but within a few hundred dollars at the most, and they show B.C. Lions contributed about \$70,000 and Calgary Stampeders about \$1,500. Edmonton Eskimos took out about \$31,000, Saskatchewan Roughriders about \$27,000 and the Bombers about \$14,000.

START ONLY FAIR: Closed-circuit theatre television of professional football was not quite the complete success expected in its experimental trial in Victoria this season.

To the surprise of some, Victoria football fans stood still for prices scaled to a top of \$3. They even forgave everyone for the two early machine or transmission breakdowns but all the good that was done was lost when someone decided that fans would accept a flat \$5 charge for the Grey Cup game when home television was available.

Few recent happenings have brought more complaint to this office than the Grey Cup theatre levy and the fact that 300 fans bought tickets was proof of the resentment. To cap it all, there was a second machine breakdown which made the game unavailable at the theatre, something hardly calculated to help in selling season tickets if there are plans to go ahead with a second season of theatre television.

It is difficult to judge how fans will react, and they are sometimes a long-suffering group, but to me it seems that to assure second-year support of the venture fans will have to be spared those blaring commercials and also get the assurance they won't be out of pocket if they are unable to watch the game because of transmission or mechanical failures.

In retrospect, the support here during the season was amazing in view of the conditions imposed on fans. They paid a tab not too much less than fans at Empire Stadium, became a captive audience for those Eskimo immortals, John Bright and Normie Kwong. Fullbacks as good as Beamer don't come along too often and his retirement would be a damaging blow.

Other than that, the Lions are not at all badly off and could probably do as well next season with what they had this season.

They need a big, fast, pass-catching end badly and they would like to get a calibre rookie to take over at defensive end, and that fearsome Dick Fouts can be moved to defensive tackle, where coaches think he will be even more effective. Failing that, a big tackle would do.

They may already have both men. John Hudson, big and capable rookie who didn't make the club last season because the Lions decided to go with Canadians at offensive end, and Ray Osborne, a huge tackle who played a couple of games early in the season, remained in Vancouver and will be at training camp next July.

There are other pluses, too. By Bailey and Norm Fieldgate, the club's only real veterans, gave no indication this season they won't remain top-drawer for at least another campaign; Ron Morris will be there from the start; Canadian-end Jam Carphin is expected back after a layoff of a full season to get over an attack of hepatitis; tackle Mike Cacic showed in the playoffs that his knee operation was a success and it is reasonable to believe that the seven rookies the Lions introduced this season—Paul Seale, Bill Munsey, Steve Shafer, Peter Kempf, Bill Lasseret, Greg Findlay and Pete Ohler—will be even more useful.

Beaten or not in the Grey Cup final, the Lions are at the stage now where they can stick at or near the top by the addition of no more than three newcomers each year. Three good ones next year should be enough.

Alberni In Tie

VANCOUVER — Alberni Athletics moved into a first-place tie with North Vancouver Harleins in the Inter-City Basketball League here last night by beating Harleins, 81-64.

Doug Brinham scored 21 points for Athletics, 12 of them in the final quarter. Athletics and Harleins meet here again today.

Alberni—McPherson 6, Hochstetler 11, Johnson, Brinham 2, De Vries, Dixon 7, Grubbs 4, Taylor 7, Krop 11, Total—81.

Harleins—King 5, Price 14, Wain 1, Hovey, Dufour 2, Stott 3, Jones 15, Hudson 10, Gilliam 4, Bord, Total—64.

THIRD PERIOD
1-San Francisco, Nicholson (Lund, Haley) 10:41.
2-San Francisco, Burns (Brisson, Pennington) 14:13.
3-Seattle, Barlow (Powers, Sinclair) 15:48.
4-Seattle, Zeidel (Fielder, Powers) 16:32.

Penalties—McNab (SF) 5:12, Hay (SE) 5:33, Jackson (SF) 13:31, Mantha (SF) 17:33.
Slops: 11 11 12-32.
Dufour 13 8 20-31.

Big Bill Watt beat Waldo Von Erich (the Great Zim minus mask), in one of the feature bouts of last night's pro wrestling card at Memorial Arena.

In other bouts, Tex McKenzie downed Ripper Leone, Dan Miller beat Oscar Borge, and Dick Garza drew with Dave Ruhl.

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GP W L T GF GA Pts
Denver 21 16 5 2 53 45 38
Los Angeles 20 13 7 0 71 73 27
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When to Fish at Mount SOLUNAR TABLES
By John Allen Knight

According to Solunar Tables, the best times for fishing and hunting for the next 28 days will be as follows (times shown are Pacific Standard Time):

TODAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		SUNDAY	
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
11:50	8:40	12:10	8:25	12:00	8:45	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05
12:10	8:25	12:00	8:45	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05	1:30	7:05
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Police Warn Shoppers

NANAIMO — RCMP Saturday issued a special Christmas warning to owners of parked cars.

Petty pilfering of cars always increases at Christmas time when people doing their Christmas shopping leave purchases in unlocked cars or in full view of would-be thieves.

Already police are being kept busy investigating such complaints.

DUNCAN — Police court: Shirley R. James of Cowichan Bay was fined \$20 after pleading guilty to causing a disturbance by fighting; Ronald L. James of Cowichan Bay pleaded guilty to being in care and control of a car while impaired. He was sentenced to 30 days imprisonment on the impaired conviction, his second.

CAMPBELL RIVER — Two outstanding authorities on mathematics education, Dr. Ralph James and Prof. Eric MacPherson, will address a

public meeting at Campbell River Secondary School at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Both UBC professors will discuss the great changes taking place in mathematics and how these changes affect society, including the home, the school and industry.

ALBERNI — A car failed to negotiate a curve on Kituxsis Road north of Alberni Friday, sheered off a utility pole and crashed into the woods. No one was injured.

Police said damage to the vehicle, driven by John Stevenson of Port Alberni, was moderate.

Investigation is continuing. Later the same night a Parksville couple escaped with bruises when their car missed a curve on Highway 4 near McKinnon's Dairy and overturned. The 1964 vehicle was described as a total wreck. Murray Kelley, Parksville, was charged with impaired driving, convicted and fined \$125.

Arbitration

Trustees Forcing Pay Hike!

LADYSMITH (CP) — The Ladysmith School Board is taking teachers to arbitration to force them to take a salary increase for 1964.

The teachers say they don't want a raise while the board says they must have one.

The board argues that if teachers don't get a raise this year the district's salary scale will fall behind other parts of the province and the board will have trouble attracting teachers.

But the real bone of contention isn't money.

It is the salary increment pattern by which at present teachers take 11 years to climb from the bottom of the salary scale to the top. The board wants to make this 12 years with salary increases at all levels, but the teachers say they would rather stick with the present agreement.

As a protest the teachers have refused to appoint a representative to the arbitration board. The court will appoint one to act for them.

Youth Top Rider

DUNCAN — Top rider among western horsemen is 20-year-old David Batty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Batty of Duncan.

At a recent quarterhorse show at Walla Walla, Wash., he and the horse Kootenay Spider took first place in the working horse and western riding horse competitions.

At the same show he took second place in the open cutting competition with Bonita Tivio, and third place in the halter class on Honey Bee Lile.



Safe at Last

Dan Kirby of Campbell River High School was one of four boys who helped conservation officers capture wounded swan east of Campbell River after bird had been deliberately shot. This one was saved but four others were killed recently by hunters in the area. Reward has been posted for persons responsible for the slaughter.—(Agnes M. Flett)

Patterson, Bailey Cowichan Choices

F. G. Patterson, a newcomer to municipal politics, was elected this week to the Cowichan district rural school board. He polled 252 votes.

Incumbent Mrs. Nancy Bailey was re-elected to the other remaining vacancy on the board with 233 votes and George Bonner failed to win a seat, polling 187 votes.

COMPOSED OF SWISS

The international committee of the Red Cross is an autonomous neutral body composed of 25 Swiss citizens.

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Not for the Fairies

One of first students' tooth-for-science donors from Courtenay West School, Murray Law, 6, receives his "medal" from teacher Georgina Hurdon. The teeth are tested by federal government for radioactivity levels. Voice of Women are sponsoring the tooth collection in Courtenay area. Program is carried out in many other areas in Canada.—(Agnes M. Flett)

Any Candidates For 'The Gentle Way'?

By KLAUS MUENTER

DUNCAN — The local disciples of the "gentle way" of self defence judo are in the midst of a membership drive to boost their ranks.

The offspring of Jiu-Jitsu, developed by Jigoro Kano in 1882, was made acceptable to a much larger following than Jiu-Jitsu ever had.

A spokesman for the 50-member Cowichan Judo Club, Paul Chambers, referring to the art of Judo, said "it brings out the good in people."

It is particularly good for young people, as some of the basic requirements for the sport consist of self control, self-confidence and respect for others, he said.

Mr. Chambers stated: "Actually, it is hard to explain what happens when you take up judo, but you suddenly seem to change into a different person, the scope of personality seems to grow and you develop an immunity against getting excited."

Fighting is prohibited outside the club except for extreme emergencies. This basic rule for judo followers starts from the lowest Kyu (grade), the holder of the white belt in Grade 7 up to the highest black belt holder in the 10th dan (degree).

A disciple also has to learn patience, as, according to a leading black belt holder, he must practise each throw 100,000 times to reach perfection.

Mr. Chambers said while it might not be necessary to practise each throw that long, it will take at least many thousands of times, depending on the ability of the individual fighter.

The "gentle way" is based on the principle of turning the opponent's own strength against himself, without endangering his own life or health.

The Cowichan Judo Club is not very old. Under a different name, it started in 1956 with a small group under black belt instructor Graham Hall.

Mr. Hall moved away in 1957 and is now chief instructor of the Dunbar Judo Club at Vancouver.

Left behind were five judo fighters who in one year had learned the first "gentle" steps.

CHINA SUFFERS

In 1961 the training headquarters was transferred to the Chemainus Fire Hall, but lack of interest forced the operation to cease until a year later.

This time a large room above a china store in the Whitmore Building at Duncan was chosen, and again the club had to move after the bill for broken china became too high.

Mr. Chambers is confident the present headquarters in the Vimy Hall on Gibbins Road will be a more permanent one.

Motorcyclist Injured

PORT ALBERNI — Daniel Kallstrom, 16, of 17 Pleasant Road, Alberni, is reported in good condition in West Coast General Hospital where he is being treated for arm and leg injuries following an accident in downtown Port Alberni. Kallstrom's motorcycle was in collision with a vehicle driven by John George Wilson on Third Avenue.

New Zealander Speaks

International Service New Trend in Rotary

Community service on an international scale is the new trend in Rotary Clubs throughout the world, said John J. Craig of Auckland, New Zealand, who was in Victoria last week on the last leg of a world tour for Rotary.

Mr. Craig, who is trying to promote the concept of "world community service," has been touring Alaska, Washington and British Columbia.

He said there is a great need for people in one area to know more about people in other areas.

Rotary is now sponsoring more international tours to bring about this communication and understanding.

Mr. Craig said Rotarians from the less developed countries take advantage of the opportunity to foster improved trade relations, but others regard it as merely a friendly gesture.

Man, Woman in Hospital After Two City Crashes

A man and a woman were being treated in hospital for cuts yesterday after two separate traffic accidents overnight Friday.

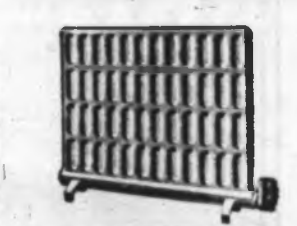
Ernest Lidberg, 43, of Hardisty, Alta., was reported in fair condition at St. Joseph's Hospital with a cut nose and face cuts. Police said a car he was driving east on Broughton failed to turn where Broughton ends at Quadra, crossed Quadra, mounted the curb and damaged lawn and the monument at Pioneer Square.

Miss Alison Marshall, 22, of 324 Kamloops Avenue, was reported in good condition with cuts in Royal Jubilee Hospital. Lorne Ericson, 21, of 910 Fairmouth, was treated at Royal Jubilee for cuts and released after the same accident.

Police said a car driven south on Douglas by Mr. Ericson was in collision with one driven

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Employment Up In Duncan Area

DUNCAN — Employment conditions were generally favourable during November, according to R. S. Robinson, office manager of the National Employment Service here.

A total of 475 men and 143 women registered for employment compared with 294 men and 144 women a month ago, and 635 men and 210 women during November, 1962.

Gathering of the holly harvest is under way and several women are employed in picking and packing for distribution to Prairie and eastern markets. Cutting and packing of Christmas trees also is under way.

Because of good weather

conditions, tree planting was carried out throughout November.

Considerable publicity has been received due to the successful use of native Indians for tree planting.

This experiment by the NES, the Indian Affairs branch and the B.C. Forest Service indicates an increased number of Indians will be hired in the spring, said Mr. Robinson.

He stated the only interruption in the logging industry during the month was the closure of the Meade Creek and Gordon River camps of Western Forest Industries Ltd., due to snow at the higher levels.

Equipment was transferred from Meade Creek to Gordon River where operations reopened.

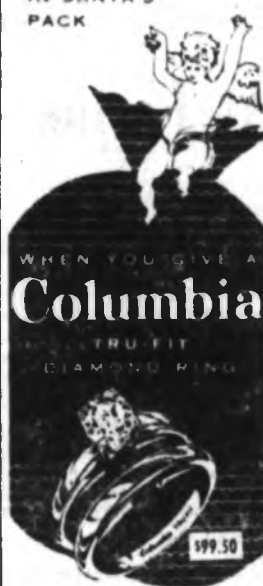
Half of the 63-man crew from Meade Creek was transferred to Gordon River.

MLA Chamber Guest

PARKSVILLE — Dan Campbell M.L.A. will be guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Parksville and District Chamber of Commerce Tuesday, in the Island Hall Hotel playhouse at 7:30 p.m.

The topic of the address will be Route of the Haida and anyone interested in the work of the Chamber of Commerce is invited to attend.

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Eyeing a juicy crab are Bessie Tang, Cowichan band Queen Donna Joe and Nigerian dancer Rufus Kadiri. — (Robin Clarke)

Nationalities Mingle

Songhees' Friendly Feast Sets Example for World

Close to 250 people of various nationalities last night joined in celebration of Songhees Chief John Albany's fourth annual Friendship Feast in Strawberry Vale Hall.

Politicians, 22 Vancouver Island Indian chiefs, provincial government officials and civic representatives attended, along with Nigerian sailors and Chinese and white guests — with human friendship as the common meeting ground.

ONE DAY YEARLY

"It would be good if the rest of the world could set aside one day a year to meet and feast as we are doing here tonight," said Chief Albany.

Provincial Works Minister W. N. Chant, who has attended all four of the annual feasts, said he enjoys getting away from the "rush and tear which goes on in government life" to be with the Indians who are "in no hurry to start or finish a feast."

EVOLUTION PART

B.C. Liberal leader Ray Perrault, who is honorary Chief Thundering Eagle of the Squamish Band and was attending his first Friendship Feast, said, "I think this is a good idea—it is part of the evolution of the Indian peoples in their struggle to become first class citizens."

"All too often, the only time the native Indian is invited somewhere is to do some war dances to amuse the crowd, and I disapprove of it," he said.



LESLIE DASH

Seen in Passing

Leslie Dash making a delivery. A driver-salesman, Mr. Dash lives with his wife, Helen, at 1206 Tattersall Drive. He enjoys playing golf. . . . Faany Poon, a nightingale anticipating a dance. . . . Milt Jackson listening to jazz. . . . Harvey Lawrence relaxing. . . . Lori Lewis contemplating a peanut-butter sandwich. . . . Terry Lewis watching field hockey. . . . Jack Lindsay, Jr., tinkering with his old car. . . . Ray Bewley planning a cruise. . . . Wally Andrews being helpful.

Chief Ed Underwood of the East Saanich Reserve, a champion of Indian rights, received a heavy round of applause when he was introduced. Credit for the unusual feast also goes to Mr. and Mrs. David McMillan and their son David, Jr., who operate a clam and oyster company.

"We thought it would be a good idea to get the Indians

closer to the government so there would be better understanding between the two groups. We also invite people who have helped the Indian during the year," Mr. McMillan said.

Mr. McMillan, whose wife was a princess from the Ahousat Band, is honorary Chief Wamish (man with plenty possessions) in the Turner Island Indian Band.

Chatterton:

Defence Cuts Not Judicious

Reduction of Canada's military reserves is a step in the wrong direction, Esquimalt-Saanich MP George Chatterton charged yesterday.

Greater Victoria is proud of its reserve units, and abolition of HMCS Malahat and the reserve air squadron, and probable reduction of the militia here "will come as a shock to a great number of people," the Conservative member said in a statement from Ottawa.

"We appreciate Defence Minister Paul Hellyer's objective of reducing the operation and maintenance costs of the armed forces, but I maintain that reduction of the reserves is not a 'judicious pruning'."

IMPROVED NOT CUT

"The training and efficiency of the reserve, should be, if anything, improved."

Mr. Chatterton said that "of all the money spent on national defence, our reserve forces probably give us more value for our money than any other phase of defence."

WRONG DIRECTION

"The removal of some 24,000 men and women from the reserves at a saving of less than one per cent of the defence budget is indeed a step in the wrong direction."

The cadet training program is certain to be affected indirectly by the reserve cutbacks because many reserve personnel assist in the training of army cadets, sea cadets and air force cadets, said the Esquimalt-Saanich MP.

"Furthermore, the effect on the morale of these young people would be adverse, since they would consider the government does not place much stock in the value of reserve training," he said.

Things Look Better

A family whose house and possessions were destroyed by fire has moved into a new house and things are looking better for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Becker and their children moved into a rented two-bedroom house at 2866 Carlow Friday.

Mrs. C. M. Will, wife of the proprietor of a grocery store which has been accepting donations for the Beckers, said last night that the Salvation Army gave them some furniture, and that the Beckers also got furniture, clothing, cash and other donations which had been left at the store.

She said Mr. Becker's fellow-employees at the mill where he works have collected \$140 for him and the firm gave him another \$100.

The Langford house occupied by the German immigrant family was destroyed by fire Monday.

Cartoons Draw Food

The tenth annual canned-food muttons at the Queen Theatre brought in 540 cans of food for Mrs. E. E. Harper's surplus food stall today. Admission to the all-cartoon show, sponsored by the 700-Block Merchants' Association, was one or more cans of food, to be contributed to the food stall.

For American Children

Santa to Skip Over Border

American children living on islands near the international boundary will get gifts this year from a Canadian Santa Claus.

Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce will join for the first time an international relations project of the Bellingham Jaycees, in bringing Christmas to kiddies on both sides of the Canada-U.S. boundary.

Fifteen Victoria Jaycees and crew will leave Shoal Harbor on board K. J. Norgaard's 65-foot yacht Blue Fjord, at 7 a.m. Dec. 21, bound for Roach Harbor and Friday Harbor on San Juan Island, and Deer Harbor on Orcas Island.

The Victoria "Santa Claus ship" will be festooned with colored lights and be fitted out with a 20-foot-high Christmas tree.

Tape-recorded Christmas

carols will be played over a public address system and Santa will hand out comic books, bags of candy and small toys to all the children who meet his ship at the American ports.

Meanwhile, the Bellingham "Christmas ship" will be making its way through other islands on the American side. The Bellingham vessel will stop at Sidney on the afternoon

of Dec. 21, and will join the Canadian yacht at Ganges, Salt Spring Island, about dusk the same day.

They will tie up overnight at Ganges and go separate ways on Sunday, with the Santa ship visiting Sibel Bay and Kuleet Bay on Vancouver Island, and Kuper Island, while the Christmas ship goes to Saturna, Mayne, Galiano and Pender Islands.

Victoria-Central Saanich

Water Lease Pact Example Of Amalgamation Says Lee

'City Policy: You Give We Take'

By JACK FRY

Stalemate on a Victoria-Central Saanich water lease agreement shows what could be expected under amalgamation, says Central Saanich Reeve R. Gordon Lee.

Refusal of the city to renew an agreement relating to Central Saanich's use of water from the city-owned Elk Lake was "an indication of what may be expected if amalgamation of the Greater Victoria municipalities is ever implemented."

Reeve Lee, in his report to ratepayers last week, suggested the city's attitude was a case of "you give, and we take."

"Let this be a warning to those who favor the academic idea of amalgamation."

Contrary to fantastic reports from city hall, Central Saanich uses only 70,000,000 gallons annually from Elk Lake, has no customers at Deep Cove or anywhere else in North Saanich, he said.

The B.C. Toll Authority at Swartz Bay was already taking water from the federal government on Oct. 13, 1960, when Central Saanich took over the system, and the municipality is getting 35 cents per 1,000 gallons consumed by the toll authority, the reeve said.

"What I strongly object to on behalf of our municipality are the many misstatements which tend to place our management of the waterworks in very bad light," said Reeve Lee.

"The matter of free water is entirely incorrect, for this municipality has tendered to the city the regular lease payments, namely \$1,000 per year for the term of the lease occupied by us, but the city has refused to acknowledge our payments amounting to \$2,500 and apparently is holding this amount of our money."

"I contend, therefore, that we have fulfilled all the obligations and have paid our way to the city."



Reeve Lee

Port Alberni

Police Planning Checkpoints

PORT ALBERNI—A system of mobile checkpoints is being set up here and prompt action will be taken against impaired and erratic drivers, Police said Saturday.

An RCMP spokesman assured responsible drivers that they will be delayed as little as possible and will receive the utmost in courtesy as the police carry out their duties.

In the statistics for November it was shown that four persons were injured in traffic mishaps during the month, but there were no fatalities and no accidents involving pedestrians. There were 24 accidents in which damages amounted to more than \$100, as compared with 22 in November of last year.

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Teachers' Pay Talks Adjourned

NANAIMO — The Nanaimo teachers' salary negotiations which went to official arbitration Friday have not yet reached the final stage. Meetings were held Saturday but the matter has been adjourned until Monday with no decision arrived at.

Between 25 and 30 trustees from the Vancouver Island branch of the B.C. School Trustees Association met Saturday at the Quennell School annex to discuss plans for a spring seminar. Also under discussion were community colleges.

Various school boards in the mid-island area are considering the establishment of a community college.

Hydro Pays Grants Of \$98,817

B.C. Hydro and Power Authority has paid grants of \$99,606.18 to Victoria and \$9,211.16 to Esquimalt.

Hydro manager J. A. MoArthur said the grants are based on general and local improvement taxes paid by the utility in 1961. Similar grants were paid last year.

Total payments for this year including school taxes and grants are \$174,015.16 to Victoria and \$12,824.17 to Esquimalt, he said.

Christmas Party Set for Dec. 10

Annual Christmas party of the North Ward and Quadra Primary Auxiliary will be held in the auditorium of North Ward School Dec. 10, starting at 8 p.m.



Edgar Crossley and birthday cake.

—Ryan Bros.

Honor Parents, Reach 100

Commandment Longevity Rule

By TED GASKELL.

Long walks, lots of exercise, cold baths, total abstinence have all, at one time or another, been cited as secrets of longevity but Edgar Crossley, who is 100 years old Monday, believes his long life is due to another rule.

"Honor thy father and thy mother that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee," quoted Mr. Crossley yesterday at Matson Lodge where he lives with his 87-year-old wife.

He believes that his observance of this commandment led to his leading a good life generally and this contributed to his great age.

He took his rule seriously for when his father was 70 years old, Mr. Crossley built a house for his parents in

Oxbow, Saskatchewan. A remarkably well-preserved man with keen intellect and memory, Mr. Crossley recounts clearly happenings of years ago and makes no mistakes on dates or places.

He returned to Ontario to go into the hardware business, then in 1892 went to Oxbow which was then a little town with about 100 people. Now it's a wealthy oil town of about 1,400 population.

In Oxbow he was active in community affairs and on his wall at Matson Lodge is a framed testimonial signed by the mayor, the president of the Chamber of Commerce and the United Church minister.

The testimonial, dated 1947, the year he left, points

to his serving on the first town council, the first school board and his assistance in establishing the town.

He was an elder of the church and helped to build the first church, the first public school and was on the school board.

"You and Mrs. Crossley helped in every good work in town," the testimonial reads. In 1916 he left the hardware business and sold life and general insurance until he left Oxbow and retired to Victoria. He was then 83.

His memories of Brandon in the early days include seeing the last boat to come up-river from Winnipeg bringing in settlers.

In those days the railway went only a few miles beyond Brandon and wagon trains were travelling between Winnipeg and Edmonton. He saw the last such train, a mile long, with French traders and Indians taking trading goods west.

Mr. Crossley thought of moving west and went with four other men to the Peace River district, but Mrs. Crossley felt Oxbow was far enough west.

His one association with arms was during the Riel uprising. He was 22 then and joined the army to oppose the rebels.

Mr. and Mrs. Crossley have six children, three boys and three girls who have given their parents 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

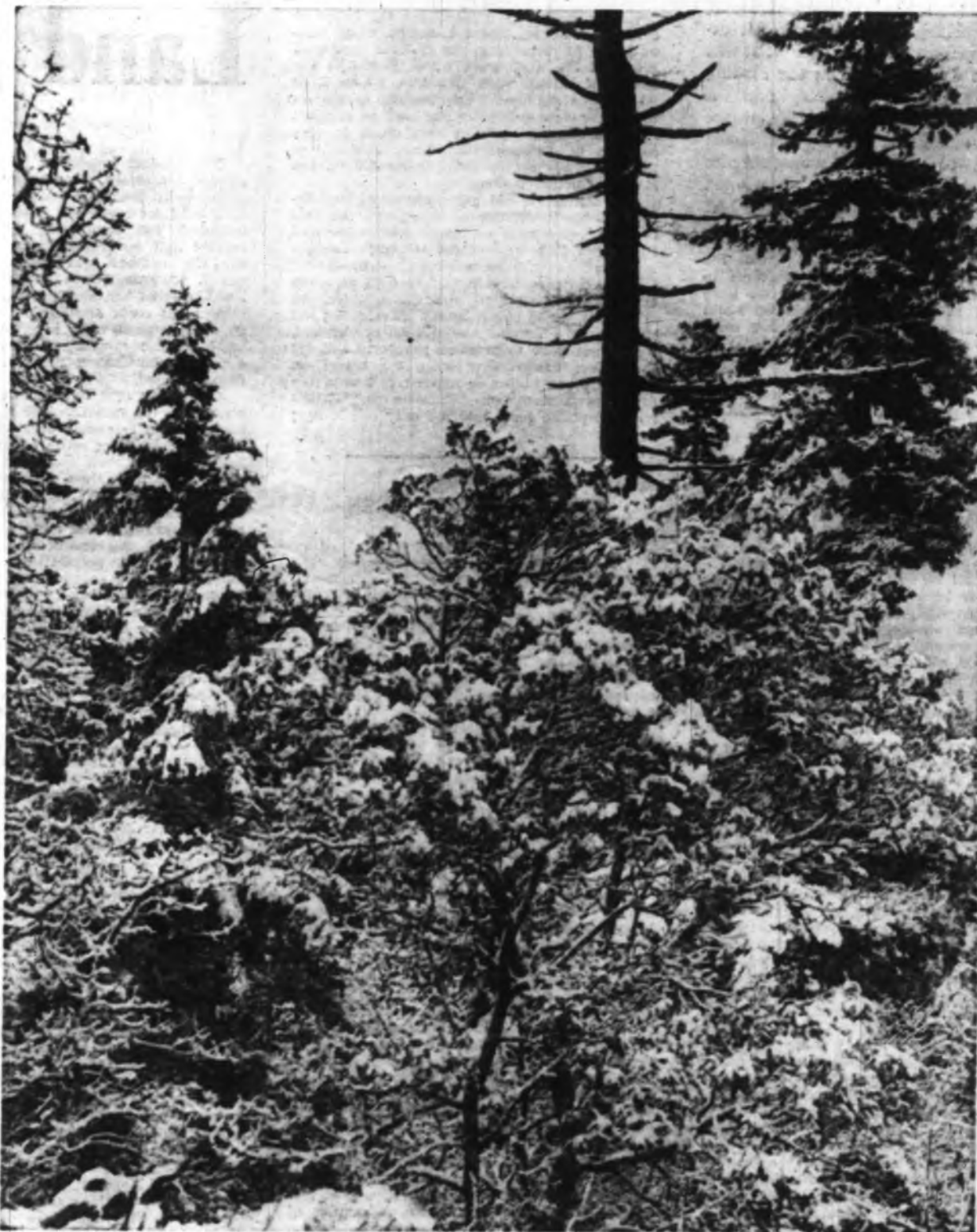
A family dinner is planned for today to celebrate Mr. Crossley's centenary.

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FIRST SNOW by William Boucher

"But, Senora . . . It is unbelievable! Impossible!"

The hotel manager's voice squeaked with indignation as he stared at Jane. Awakened in the night by a rustling noise, she had switched on the light, to see an enormous rat dragging Rory's feeding-bottle towards a hole under the bathtub, which it dropped as she shrieked.

This morning, she asked the bell-boy to have the bottle boiled to disinfect it. Result, the bottle was returned, unboiled, but full of boiling water. Now, in our attempt to explain to the manager what was wanted, we were involved in the making of an international incident, until it dawned on us that he either thought we were maintaining the bell-boy had stolen the bottle, or that for some obscure and sadistic Gringo reason, we wanted the bell-boy boiled because the rat had stolen the bottle.

In either case, the trouble lay with the peculiarities of Chilean Spanish, different to any other version of the language we have encountered in our eight months of Latin American travel. At the time of writing, management has simmered down to a grasp of what we really want. But bell-boy still eyes us askance, bottle remains unboiled and rat still dwells undisturbed amid the hot water pipes, awaiting his next chance for a spot of refreshment.

Such happenings help to make a day. But the incident was hardly typical of our experiences during our journeyings of the past week, from Santiago south through Chile's central valley, rimmed by the snow-capped volcanic peaks of the Andes to the east and lower ranges on the seaward side. This is the nation's heartland, where most of its inhabitants live and nearly all its crops and fruits are produced. We've been travelling mostly by train (fares are incredibly cheap and reserved seats cost one cent additional), comfortable and easy-going, drawn sometimes by diesel and often by good, old-fashioned steam engines of about 1910 vintage, through a lovely countryside of lush fields, rich paddies, orchards and the vineyards which produce the excellent wines we buy for the cost of "cokes" at home, interspersed with rushing trout streams.

There are masses of wild flowers of great variety, for in this latitude, equivalent to San Francisco's in the northern hemisphere, though cooler because of the Antarctic currents, the sun slants from the northern heavens at noon and the season regresses from early summer to spring as we head down towards Tierra del Fuego. Horse and ox-drawn ploughs furrow chocolate-brown swathes across the hillsides. "Huasos," Chile's cowboys, canter the track-side trails, colorful with their vividly-patterned short ponchos, wide, flat-crowned black hats and carved wooden "shoe" stirrups; or strut the wayside stations to the tinkle of the enormous rowels in their spurs, which they pride themselves in using as a guide rather than to prick the horse.

Our first stop-over after leaving Santiago's belt of slums, where we noted the impressive workers' housing developments initiated by the present government, was Concepcion, the third city of the republic, located near the mouth of the broad Bio-Bio River, now in flood. Here, glaring at us from amid the array of raw, new buildings that have arisen from the dust of those that crumbled, the terrible impact of earthquake and what it means to the people of this narrow, three-thousand-mile-long country perched on the edge of one of the world's great "fault" areas, met us with full force. All



AMANDA VINCENT sits a Chilean cowboy saddle, with its typical wooden stirrups.

down the coast we are witnessing the awesome evidence of homes, farms, factories, whole communities, in ruins from the terrible quake of 1960 and the tidal wave which followed; the latest of many such disasters which have struck this country. The danger is always there—we were shaken in our beds on our last night in Santiago—and it says much for the courage of Chileans that, often having lost their all, they set to work to rebuild on the land that betrayed them.

We are more and more aware of the distinctive characteristics of the people of this country, more akin to North Americans and Europeans than any others we have encountered on this continent, priding themselves that Chile is a democracy in fact as well as name and that, almost unique in South America, the army "knows its place" as the servant, not the master of the nation. And, wonder of wonders, we do not have to produce passports and fill in endless declarations when we travel on internal plane flights or register at hotels. We are impressed by the "Carabineros," Chile's national police force and the only one it has;

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in many ways the counterpart of our own RCMP and with its mounted wing still mounted! Smart, well-disciplined, courteous, it maintains the law all the way from traffic control to the horse patrols we encounter trotting the country roads. Incidentally, Chile executes its murderers on the spot where the crime took place!

Chileans have a wry sense of humor and are the only Latin people we've yet met who can easily laugh at themselves. They do not have bullfights, but are crazy about sports, especially soccer football, which takes pride of place on the front pages of the newspapers. Even in the poorest villages there are goal-posts. Gambling seems to come next and the bang and rattle of dice-throwers is louder than the clamor of voices in the "puba."

Their coastline has made them a people of the sea. Their navy is modelled on the Royal Navy. The army, with its field-grey uniforms and goosestep, emulates the Germans. Their fish is displayed in vast variety and quantity in every public market. We've fallen completely for the giant, succulent "Centola" spider-crabs; "Congrio," the national fish dish; "Sopa de chorro"—mussels stewed with the white of an egg—and are even developing a taste for "erizos"—raw sea-urchins—which look horrible but have a delicate taste peculiarly their own. But we recoil from "mariscos," cold, wet combinations of strange-looking shellfish, things that pop out their claws and squeak, served up raw amid a glutinous, grey tangle of seaweed. Chileans love them, press them on us and out of courtesy we have tackled them, eagerly following the local precaution of washing them down with gulps of wine as a "disinfectant." As we're still alive, this presumably works.

TEMUCO Chile

A Vivid Friendly Land

The modest hotels en route we've found almost uniformly clean, very good for the price, which averages about the equivalent of \$2 a head for room and continental breakfast, including the compulsory 20 per cent for service and government tax, and no charge for the children. Plumbing makes a good effort towards North American standards. Food becomes less and less expensive. A first-class meal costs around 70 cents, with good beer less than 10 cents a bottle. Service could teach a lesson to many North American hotels and tips additional to the service tax are seldom expected.

One thing that irritates us is the general attitude to the Indians. The Araucanians, who dwell around Temuco, where we now are, some four hundred miles south of Santiago, successfully defended their lands against all comers until 1877, and then only permitted white settlement by treaty. Some 50,000 pure-bloods of this once-warrior people still exist in the area, increasingly lost amid the general population, but in the case of the women retaining their picturesque peculiarities of dress—chains of "silver" coins around their heads and huge "silver plate" necklaces. We've seen a few of them. They'd be considered a tourist attraction in North America and Chile is most anxious to develop tourism. But Chileans, whom we sense to have something of a complex about being a "white" country, seem anxious to hide them. It is "They're only Indios," uttered with an air of amused bewilderment. We know there's an Indian market in the town, but no one has yet admitted to its existence.

Still suffering from the contrast with the intense heat of the Amazon, which we so recently left, we all have vile colds which the almost incessant "unseasonable" rains haven't helped. Nor has Rory's rambunctiousness, a bursting energy born of his new-found ability to walk.

The sense of nearly 9,000 miles pressing on us from British Columbia down the map has a peculiar, alternately exhilarating and depressing effect. We know that the comparative ease of this first stage of our final lap to Cape Horn is deceptive. From Temuco to Puerto Montt, 500 more miles south, lies Chile's great lake and forest area, noted for its beautiful scenery and fishing and with many tourist resorts. But at Puerto Montt, roads and railways end and Archipelago Chile begins: A third of the country, stretching straight for the Antarctic for 1,000 miles, with less than 1 per cent of the nation's population; one of the most rugged and stormy regions of the earth, with snow-clad mountains, glaciers and impenetrable forests covering most of the land.

At Puerto Montt we hope to find a coastal ship for the long voyage down to Punta Arenas on the Straits of Magellan. When we get there, we're sure that we, who have seldom been out of sight of snow in our wanderings to date, will find further letters from friends at home, envying us for spending the winter "in tropical South America"!

Striding unheeded through the bright, gay streets, Vincenzo Peruggia permitted himself a faint smile. Even then, nobody spared him a moment's fleeting glance.

Why should they? There was so much to woo the eye, here in this splendid city of Florence. Who cared about a rough-bloused workman of 32, swarthy and dark-haired, carrying on his shoulder a battered wooden traveling trunk?

Vincenzo's smile widened by a fraction. If only they knew! How they would crowd about him, and how famous his name would be if they could guess the sensational secret that his trunk contained.

Well, soon they would know. For Vincenzo was not merely taking the air on this December day just 50 years ago. His purposeful stride was leading him towards the foyer of a Florence hotel, where he had an urgent appointment.

Soon one of history's most audacious crimes would be solved. Solved by courtesy of Vincenzo Peruggia—and, more particularly, of his battered trunk.

Entering the hotel foyer, he looked about him and saw two waiting men. He introduced himself, and they began to talk.

It was on a day four years before that Vincenzo had first pondered the crazy idea. He had been a journeyman painter and white-washer in Paris then, working occasionally in the reconstruction department of the famous Louvre.

On this day—a Monday, when by tradition the galleries were closed except to maintenance staff and photographers—his work had taken him into the Salon Carré.

Art was hardly his line. But even he, ignorant and simple-minded though he was, recognized one famous picture that adorned these walls: "La Jaconde," the inscrutable Mona Lisa of the wistful, mysterious half-smile.

Peruggia knew, too, that this priceless painting was of Florentine origin; the crowning creation of the great Leonardo de Vinci depicting his most favored model, the third wife of Francesco del Gioconda.

He could see, as he caught the Mona Lisa's fabulous smile, why men called it hypnotic; a mystery that transcended art.

But the mystery affected Vincenzo Peruggia in a more practical way.

The Mona Lisa's Smile was Wry

Months later, on another Monday morning, he found himself working in the salon again. It was 8 a.m., and he had almost finished what he had to do. He was alone; now was the time.

Boldly, he walked straight up to the Mona Lisa and lifted the portrait down. Walking with it to the side staircase, he forced the picture and its wooden backing clear of the glass and frame.

Then he tucked it as best he could inside his blouse. It was not even completely concealed; the awkward new folds of the cloth showed clearly the stiff contours of the three-foot by two-foot flatness beneath.

Incredibly, he then walked out of the rear door of the Louvre unchallenged despite his strange appearance. Then, via a maze of side streets, he made towards the Quai d'Orsay and the railway for the south.

Next morning a Louvre superintendent, noticing the empty space, asked an attendant almost casually where the Mona Lisa was. Probably being photographed, the attendant replied.

The superintendent felt an ominous unease, as he ordered its immediate return to its place. He was

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hardly even surprised when it could not be found.

Frenzy mounted fast. Incredible officials, pale and shaken, ran from room to room with no clear idea of what they were doing. The Mona Lisa, the most glorious picture in the world, gone just like that? Was it a nightmare or a bad joke?

Other 'Jokes'

Unhappily, there had been no dearth of such jokes. Quite recently the entire staff of the Louvre had found themselves exposed to the ridicule of France after a sculptor's plaque had been smuggled in, and had remained unnoticed on illicit exhibition for weeks.

Practical jokers had shaved in the Louvre, using the glass frame of the Mona Lisa for a mirror. They had even removed the glass from valuable paintings.

Stories circulated about the disappearance of such small art treasures as statuettes at the rate of two or three a week; of cynical indifference and monstrous inefficiency on the part of the Louvre's staff.

But—"La Jaconde," France's national treasure! This was very different. The director of the Louvre, sombre at his office desk, saw already in imagination the furious crowds gathering in the streets; the sensational headlines in the evening papers.



He forced the picture . . . clear of the glass and frame.

His chief attendant, the previous evening, had reported everything in its place. Now he was told that the Mona Lisa had not been seen since early the previous day. It was inexcusable.

They would probably try to lynch him, those crowds. They would certainly clamor for his resignation.

The Minister of Fine Arts, his breakfast ruined by the shattering news, ordered a guard placed on all exits from the Louvre, and a meticulous search begun at once.

Under the staircase the glass and frame of the missing picture were found. But nothing more. By now, the news was out. France and the world were horrified.

Cabinet members were recalled from their summer vacations. A number of Louvre officials were dismissed. The government offered a \$25,000 reward. Newspapers named "somnambulism, spiritualism, or other occult means."

Hundreds of people were questioned. Every port and railway

station was watched closely, as the biggest treasure-hunt in history got under way. The famous chief of the Paris identification bureau, Alphonse Bertillon, even found a perfect fingerprint on the hastily discarded glass frame.

Hope lingered that the thief might be a hoaxer: bent perhaps, on exposing the weakness of the Louvre's security arrangements. Perhaps he intended to return the picture. He could certainly never hope to sell it.

In the bistros, wild rival theories grew. Was the culprit an eccentric millionaire, who had bribed some small crook to steal the picture for his secret collection?

Or was he a fanatic, who yearned to spend the rest of his days in rapt private contemplation of the Mona Lisa's smile?

The police remained baffled. They seized on each clue, during the weeks and months that followed, in the hope of casting some small light on the tormenting mystery.

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VICTORIA'S PROBLEMS OF 1888 ARE LITTLE CHANGED TODAY

Teenagers, Tobacco Worried Authority

The dangers of cigarette smoking were being graphically portrayed and yet more and more people were smoking—even the women.

There was strong feeling among Canadians in their attitude towards the United States. There were those who wanted Canada to join the U.S., and those who said it would be over their dead bodies.

Magistrates were worried about the behaviour of teen-agers, and doing their best to keep them on the straight and narrow.

The citizens were divided into two camps about animals. There were those who said their neighbors were cruel to animals, and something should be done about it, and there were others who said that their neighbors' dogs were nothing but a nuisance, and something should be done.

No, it was not last summer, or even last year; it was Victoria in the late months of 1888—75 years ago.

Because it was suspected certain ladies of Victoria had taken to "the weed," *The Colonist* deemed it expedient, and in the public interest, to print the following: "SHE SMOKED TOO MANY CIGARETTES"—"When Mrs. Sarah Walter of Chicago began, a couple of years ago, to smoke cigarettes, she was a fine handsome woman of 26, with a voluptuous figure and a fresh complexion that were the envy of her society friends.

"Last week the unhappy lady was declared incurably insane, and she was committed to an insane asylum. She is a mere wreck of her former self, and this terrible change is owing to the excessive use of the seductive little rolls of drugged tobacco and rice paper.

"The unfortunate woman's fresh and attractive complexion had been altered to the hideous sallow usually observed in the opium eater; her eyes were wild, with the pupils unusually dilated. Her shrunken hands twitched nervously and with her long finger-nails she had scratched raw spots in the flesh of her chin and right cheek."

Americans Suspect

The Colonist frowned heavily on the talk that Canada should become part of the United States. *The Colonist* said that the Americans wanted to take over Canada.

There was this editorial: "Our neighbors across the border are discussing the question of the annexation of Canada quite briskly. Some of them seem to look upon the business as more than half done already.

"The American annexationists have, by some means or other, very very easy to understand, got it into their heads that Canadians are becoming wearied of their connection with Great Britain and are pining for independence.

"The tie which binds Canada to the Mother Country, they have been led to believe, has become so attenuated that it will break under the slightest strain. When the severance takes place, which they believe will be soon, several of the provinces will fall into the lap of the United States like ripe plums.

"Annexation has not been mooted in the House of Commons even by a crank, and in the provincial legislature it is not so much as mentioned. We have yet to hear of the

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Capt. and Mrs. Victor Jacobsen

first man who, in any public assembly, has advocated the union of Canada and the American republic.

"If any considerable number of the people of this Dominion were dissatisfied with the British connection they would soon find a way to make their discontent known. Canadians are English enough to grumble and growl if they are displeased. They are not people to remain quiet and submissive when they consider themselves ill used. If they felt the yoke of Great Britain galling then they would soon cry out, and their noise would be altogether disproportionate to the pain.

"But our neighbors need not rely upon negative evidence to satisfy them that Canadians are contented to be and to remain British subjects. There are everywhere the strongest indications that they are enthusiastically loyal to Queen Victoria and that they dearly love the 'old flag'."

Delighted and relieved that *The Colonist* had put those loud-mouthed Americans in their place, Victorians got along with their day-to-day business and pleasure in the late months of 1888.

Notable Concert

The St. Andrew's Presbyterian congregation was working to raise funds for a new church. There was a large concert, and taking part were the hand of "C" Battery; young George Jay, who was to become long-time Victoria city police court magistrate; Mrs. Dennis Harris, daughter of Sir James and Lady Douglas, and E. G. Prior and Mrs. William Goepel, who had often sung together in Nanaimo, Mrs. Goepel being the daughter of Mark Bate, first mayor of Nanaimo.

That year a group of citizens banded together to protect their four-footed friends, and so was born the Victoria branch of the Society for the Protection of Animals. At the first annual meeting "there was a good attendance of influential gentlemen and a number of ladies. Archdeacon Scriven, vice-president, occupied the chair, in the absence of their president, Robert Dunsmuir.

The society had only been in existence a few months, but already some good work had been done: "The first case which the society took up was the prosecution of a man named Joseph Phoenix, for wanton cruelty to a very wretched old horse.

"The second case was against a boy for over-riding and wantonly beating a mare until she dropped in her tracks . . ."

Magistrate A. N. Richards, in city police court, was distracted by the youth of the place, who seemed to be going from bad to worse: "Three bright-faced youngsters stood up in the pew, at court, and stared hard at the magistrate. They had been found guilty of stealing grain bags, 130 bags in all, and unfortunately it was not their first transgression.

"Mr. Richards was a little perplexed as to how to dispose of the young culprits. Said he: 'If I send you to prison, where you will herd with hardened criminals, there is very little likelihood of your ever becoming respectable

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NUMISMATICS

Perhaps no other vessel of the past can spark the imagination of British Columbians as can the Ss. Beaver. This valiant little ship was built in England in 1835 for the Hudson Bay Co. and arrived at Fort Vancouver in April, 1836, becoming the first steamer to enter the Pacific.

The ship's hull was heavily constructed, using the finest of woods, elm, teak, and English oak among them, and was copper fastened. Each of the two engines developed 35 nominal horse-power and were of the side-lever type. The vessel was 101 feet overall, the hull breadth was 20 feet and the overall breadth to the outside of the paddles was 33 feet. Her depth was 11½ feet and her register 109½ tons burden (an obsolete measure of ships' sizes). The Beaver's engines and boilers weighed 63½ tons when packed at the Boulton & Watt factory for shipment to Blackwall, the building site. The cost of these engines was about \$4,500 (over \$22,000 in the 1830s).

On her trials the ship attained a creditable 9½ m.p.h.

In the 52 years after her arrival until her end on Siwash Rocks at the entrance to Vancouver harbor she performed gallantly. While in the service of the Hudson's Bay Company she was involved in the founding of Victoria, the San Juan dispute, the Caribou gold rush and, of course, the fur trade.

In 1874, 39 years old and out of fashion, she was sold to the Victoria firm of Messrs. Stafford, Saunders Morton & Co. who used her for general freight hauling and as towboat until her last grounding. For a short spell she also worked for the Imperial hydrographers.

About 10 p.m. on the evening of Thursday, July 26, 1888, she ran ashore. Several attempts were made to float her free but to no avail and she sat on the rocks for nearly four years. On June 26, 1892, the Yosemite passed close by and the wash caused the ship's boiler to work loose, fall, and carry away with it a good part of the hull. This news spread rapidly through Vancouver and a rush resulted to obtain souvenirs and relics. Much of the iron was salvaged and consumed by the foundries, some of the wood was recovered and used for all sorts of articles, and an enterprising young man by the name of Charles W. McCain acquired just over half a ton of copper and brass from the wreck.

After Her Loss in 1888

MEDALS STRUCK FOR Ss. BEAVER



FIRST AND LAST of the Beaver medals, reproduced here on the same scale.

Let me concentrate on this half ton of metal.

For much of this information I am indebted to Mr. McCain's "History of the Hudson's Bay Co.'s Ss. Beaver" which he published in 1894 after the first two medals were made.

There were three "SS Beaver" medals put out

by McCain. Each was smaller than its predecessor. The first was 43 mm in diameter (about 1 11/16 inches). The obverse of the medal illustrated the wreck with the legend "Wreck of Ss. Beaver, Lion Gate, Vancouver, B.C." around the periphery and "Built 1835" under the illustration. The reverse read, "This metal is out of the Ss. Beaver, the pioneer Steamer on the Pacific and first to cross the Atlantic."

All these medals are edge numbered. In his book McCain stated that the numbers ran from 1 to 12 and then the 3's, 6's and 9's were left out and the numbers proceeded 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, etc., to No. 548. However, 3's, 6's and 9's are known, but without an incused stamp reading "Rd". It would be interesting to know if any readers have one of these medals and what number it is. I have two, numbers 214 and 428.

The second medal featured, in addition to the illustration of the Beaver and the legend regarding the source of the metal, an illustration of the Santa Maria, one of Columbus' ships when he discovered America in 1492 (note 1892 was the 400th anniversary of the discovery). This medal is smaller, being 35½ mm in diameter (1 3/8 inches), and is also edge numbered. Here, however, the numbers 3, 6 and 9 do appear. The reasons for the production of the smaller medal are that an accident spoiled the dies for the first medal and in producing more medals it was desired to economize on metal.

In 1898 a further reduction in the size of the medal was made to 22 mm (approx. 7/8 inches). This medal is the most pleasing, having a fineness unmatched by the earlier two. It is more common, and a good number were struck about 10 years ago from the original dies and the original blanks which were left by McCain after his death. As the edge numbers are known, the "restrike" can be spotted easily. However, in this case the fact that the medal was struck some 50 years later lessens only the numismatic value, not the historical value, for the original metal was used.

This small medal also was incorporated into a gavel which McCain gave to the province. The gavel can be seen today in the Provincial Archives. Also made from the medal were certain pieces of jewelry.

In 1901 a small pamphlet was printed to accompany gold-plated small medals. This pamphlet amounted to no more than an extract from a Vancouver newspaper and a notarial certificate of origin of the metal used.

THE MONA LISA'S SMILE WAS WRY

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tery. Each time the trail led nowhere.

Two years after the black day at the Louvre the theft was a mystery still; and the Mona Lisa's whereabouts quite unknown.

Then, one morning in early December, 1913, a Florentine art dealer named Alfredo Geri received a letter from Paris. It was poorly written, and signed simply "Leonard." It claimed that the Mona Lisa was in the writer's possession.

This famous picture ought to be restored to its native Italy, the letter said. It should hang again in the city of Florence, where it was painted.

Was the letter genuine? Geri took it to his friend Professor

Poggi of the Uffizi Gallery. Between them they drafted a reply, inviting "Leonard" to meet them in a Florence hotel.

And so it was the "Leonard," alias Vincenzo Peruggia, met them there; and haggled, as he clutched his precious trunk, for a promise of payment.

They gave it; and at last he threw open the lid of his box. He fished out boots, dirty linen, and a change of clothes.

Then, removing a false bottom, he carefully lifted out the Mona Lisa!

There was not the smallest doubt about it. The museum's stamp and secret marks, incontrovertible evidence of its authenticity, were there on the back.

"La Joconde" was back home

after 400 years.

Poggi insisted he must take the painting to his gallery, to compare its detail with that of other works by da Vinci. Peruggia was naive enough to let him—and so wrought his undoing.

When he was arrested soon afterwards, he was indignant. His motives, he insisted, had been of the most patriotic kind: to win back a little treasure for Italy. Napoleon had taken so much...

For a short time longer, Mona Lisa graced Florence with her smile. She remained on exhibition there and in Rome before being returned officially, with much pomp and panoply, to Paris.

Peruggia, at his trial, was de-

scribed by a doctor as a harmless lunatic, and imprisoned for a year.

Only then did it emerge that the Paris police, fortunate in their possession of a perfect fingerprint at the outset of their inquiries, had already two sets of Peruggia's prints in their possession at that time!

These had been taken in 1908 and 1909, when he had faced robbery charges. Through a flaw in Alphonse Bertillon's filing system (which was swiftly put right) they had escaped being matched with the print on the glass.

The Mona Lisa's smile, they said on the boulevards, was a little wider than before she left Paris.

And no wonder!

Men Seek the Lonely

Some are Killers, Some are

There's a whale of a lot of room still left in B.C. for a man to get away from his neighbors and also, if necessary, his past.

While the general run of trappers and prospectors leads a lonely enough life, usually there is little in the way of mystery in his past. It's a few odd balls, living hermit-like, who occasionally provoke the curiosity of patrolling policemen and game wardens. These are the characters, some of them getting a little eccentric, who have simply chosen to disappear. Even when they are discovered as an emaciated corpse in the hay-stuffed bunk of some lonely cabin, their secret is usually buried with them in a bush grave.

This perhaps could have happened to a man like Carl Fredericks who, at one time in his career, had been hunted through Berlin's tenement district by Hitler's Brown Shirts. Though Carl was a badly-wanted Communist he finally slipped through the dragnet to ship out of Hamburg and cross the Atlantic.

It was about a year later he turned up in northern B.C. where he inspired a couple of his fellow countrymen to join him in a trapping venture up in the wilds of Trembleur Lake. Quite soon afterwards Fredericks came out alone, but his contradictory statements caused tongues to wag around the camp fires of an Indian village. The rumors reached the ears of the police and though it took the best part of a year to find the buried remains of Frederick's victims and three intricate court battles to try to bring home his guilt, still he got away with it and walked from the final courtroom a free man.

He should have quit while he was ahead, for a couple of months later he was tripped up on a simple "firearms and alien" rap, conviction for which qualified him for deportation. When he finally landed at Hamburg came the realization that he had merely escaped death on the gallows for death in a concentration camp. The Brown Shirts were still waiting.

\$10,000 Venture

IN PLEASANTER and somewhat quainter vein is the story of another character who took to the bush to settle a bet—a bet with himself that he could accumulate \$10,000.

The story was originally told me by the late Bruce McKelvie. If you knew Bruce then you also knew that he combined at times a veteran newspaperman's sense of the dramatic along with the historian's urge to poke and delve—or is it the other way round? Any way the combination made him not only a charming companion, but also a very readable writer.

The locale was Texada Island, Van Anda—to be exact, where, incidentally, around the turn of the century, Mr. McKelvie started his newspaper career as a printer's devil. If it's a surprise for you to know that there was a newspaper there, it'll also be interesting to know how it folded. The editor's wife held a swank tea party and omitted to invite the mine manager's spouse. In reprisal the manager picked up the editor's outstanding notes, and put the paper out of business! Which meant that at the age of 10 McKelvie was looking for another job!

However, back to the story. The principal

in this was a Scot, a big, rugged type called McDougall who arrived in Vancouver, like so many others, just before the First World War. He was a university man, from an old and distinguished Edinburgh family and at one time in his career had worked for a firm that furnished the equipment for Scottish distilleries.

He had about \$10,000 when he arrived on this coast, which he was soon urged to invest in suburban tracts: tracts that were buoyantly planned about four decades ahead of their time. The boom broke, and his money went down the drain. Then along came the war and he joined up and went overseas. The story is a familiar one.

When he returned to Vancouver in 1919, though he was now older, and wiser (and jobless), there was a lurking desire in the back of his mind to get back his money. Then he got an idea, and to put it into effect he acquired a small gas boat and for the next month or two travelled around the Gulf of Georgia, making out he was a prospector, until finally he found the spot he wanted.

Secret Installation

IT WAS ON TEXADA, at Spratt's Bay, three miles south of Van Anda village. Here, near the foreshore, were the abandoned workings of the old Raven mine, a magnetite proposition that had died about twenty-odd years back. It suited McDougall, however, down to the ground and in the weeks that followed he discreetly landed enough equipment to rig up, in one of the mine shafts, just about the neatest and most efficient still this province has ever seen.

Of course his presence was known around Van Anda but only as a crackpot prospector imbued with the notion of tracing some old leads in the Raven property. To help the illusion he occasionally bought some dynamite from the general store, letting off a stick now and again just for appearance's sake. He made it plain from the outset, however, that he wasn't encouraging any visitors, emphasizing the point by the presence of his ill-tempered Alsatian dog. The villagers soon got the idea and left him in peace.

It was the era of prohibition in the U.S. and territories, and McDougall had no difficulty in lining up some pretty solid contacts in Skagway or Juneau, so that all his whisky making

material came from Alaska, dropped off periodically at Spratt's cove at dead of night from halibut boats passing through to Seattle.

Terms Always Cash

ON THEIR WAY BACK, they stopped to pick up a load of popskull in convenient four-gallon cans. Not a drop of the product was disposed of locally, for, as is well known, the man who builds a better mouse trap soon has all the world at his door. Every shipment to Alaska was a cash deal, and inside a year his carefully secreted bundles of currency began to near the five-figure mark. Finally the day arrived when his savings reached \$10,000, and that was the day he ceased operations.

Next morning, in his work-worn, nondescript clothing, the tall, bearded figure lugged a couple of battered suitcases down to his boat. It took a few minutes to pump out the bilge, then up came the anchor, and with the departing echoes of "two bits, two bits, two bits" from his faithful Easthope, McDougall gazed his last on Spratt's Cove.

At Vancouver he stayed just long enough to bank draft most of his money to Scotland, then followed on the next eastbound train.

Still There Still

HE WASN'T MISSED around Texada for about a week, then someone exploring his deserted cabin, finally in curiosity peered into the mine shaft. There was the still, a board hung across it on which was scrawled "It's all yours," or something equally brief.

Now we'll turn to an earlier story, this time about a man who took to the wilderness to lose the past; a past, however, that wouldn't be shaken off.

He was an American, around 40, a tall, handsome devil-may-care six-footer, with just a hint of military training in his bearing. By all accounts he had a charming manner, but also one underlying defect: he was an inveterate gambler.

It's just 55 years ago since Daniel Smith, as he called himself, turned up one day in Kamloops looking for a site for a hunting lodge, a spot to cater to wealthy big game hunters.

There were few such resorts in B.C. then, so undoubtedly Mr. Smith was getting in on the ground floor, in the right type of country. Not only had he a keen love of the outdoors, but better still, capital.

Finally he located just the spot, where the Mornitch River runs into the northeast end of Adams Lake. There he built a commodious log ranch house which he called Cariboo Lodge. It cost him a few thousands of course, for it's a long haul up the lake. Besides, all the expensive furnishings had to come up from Vancouver. His site was so far off the beaten track that when Cariboo Lodge finally folded, it had no successor. Not even to this day. In fact the only person you're likely to meet up there now that winter is setting in is Leslie Narcisse, who, my good friends in the local Game Department tell me, runs a trap line north and south of the mouth of the Mornitch.

To add to the atmosphere of his lodge Smith adorned the interior with a variety of big game heads (bought in Vancouver) and finally, as the result of a few ads in eastern magazines, one or two hunting parties came in to stay with him that fall.

They found Smith a most agreeable host,

CECIL CLARK

feature

Lands for Many Reasons

Some are Crooks, Just Adventurers

his cook an excellent hand with the vittles, but the hunting arrangements fell below expectations. Not that there was any lack of game; the woods were full of it. It was just that lodgekeeper Smith wasn't just the man to lead them to it. In fact, let's face it, he was a better hand at mixing drinks and dealing a hand of stud. As someone later remarked, "He'd rather play cards than eat."

As the last of the season's guests departed, the fall nip in the air was the signal for Smith to pay off the cook and the horse wrangling handyman, and closing up the place he went in to Kamloops to stay at the Leyland Hotel until spring.

It was there, in the weeks that followed, that the handsome, agreeable bachelor made ready friends, helped perhaps by the fact that he invariably took care of the tab, always footing the bill with U.S. currency.

Banker Start'ed

TOWARD CHRISTMAS, however, he found himself running a little short so hied over to the Bank of Hamilton to have a chat with the manager, A. H. Skey. He wanted to open an account and for an initial deposit, produced a U.S. Treasury cheque. Mr. Skey glanced at it, then did a double take. The amount was \$92,500!

Now Mr. Skey's branch wasn't so important that he could afford to take a chance on a cheque of that size, not at least without some enquiry. For one thing it was signed by Colonel John J. Robinson of Fort Sheridan, Illinois.

And a suspicion stirred in Skey's mind how this colonel should be issuing funds in such an amount! He handed Smith back the cheque and asked him to return in the morning. Smith smiled agreement, tucked the cheque in his wallet and departed.

As soon as he left the office Skey wired the U.S. sub-treasury in Chicago and promptly by return came word: "Secure arrest of presenter if he answers following description." And the description was Mr. Smith to a T. Chief of Police Neil McGill of Kamloops also got a Treasury wire that afternoon, telling him the cheque was a forgery and to hang on to Mr. Smith. Just as he was about to do something about it, came a wire from the Sheriff of Washoe County, Nevada, repeating the plea: "Hang on to Smith."

Fortunate Find

IT WAS CITY Constable Tom Regan who collected the Adams Lake resort owner at the Leyland Hotel, noticing as he handed Smith his coat from the back of a chair, that a label inside bore the name "Capt. D. T. Keller."

By strange coincidence, it was minutes after Smith had been walked from the Leyland to the police station, that bank manager Skey happened to cross their trail and near the hotel picked up a folded piece of paper from the sidewalk. When he opened it, it turned out to be the cheque for \$92,500. Smith had conveniently ditched it as he walked to the calaboose with Regan.

At the extradition hearing, which took five weeks, U.S. depositions read in court revealed a story that had all the earmarks of one of



CARL FREDERICKS . . .
he beat the gallows, but not the Nazis.

those "scandals in the officer's mess" type tales from the pen of Rudyard Kipling.

As Smith listened to the day to day proceedings with an air of friendly tolerance, he heard witnesses reveal that he was really ex-Captain Daniel T. Keller of the U.S. Army who had served with gallantry and distinction in both Cuba and the Philippines with the 27th Infantry. He wasn't a West Pointer. He had earned his commission in the field. Well liked by his fellow officers and his men, the jaunty and courageous Daniel had that one failing: on occasion he was a little too slick with a pack of cards.

It was on this account that his CO had sent him home from the Philippines, home to the parade ground drudgery of Fort Sheridan, the army base just north of Chicago.

However, instead of repenting or reforming,

handsome Dan had continued to indulge in a few more of his playboy antics, and one in particular that sealed his fate involved a chorus girl one night at Chicago's College Inn. We don't know all the details, but anyway it was sufficient for the base commandant to thumb him out of the service.

"It was intimated he should resign," was the official term.

Something Missing

KELLER, however, was allowed to stay on a day or so at Sheridan in the quarters of his friend Major Weigall, which happened to be right handy to the pay office. When Keller finally said goodbye, he hinted he was going out west to take up ranching.

A week after his departure Weigall's quartermaster-sergeant in the pay office discovered six numbered U.S. Treasury cheques had been skillfully abstracted from the back of a cheque book, stubs and all, probably with a razor.

It was all most mysterious, but no suspicion attached to Keller until a month later when three of the cheques, totalling around \$10,000, were cashed at the First National Bank of Washoe County, Nevada, by a man answering Keller's description. Study of the cancelled cheques showed an undoubted forgery. Colonel Robinson always signed himself John J. Robinson Jr. and on these cheques the "Jr." was omitted.

Of Keller, meantime, not a trace until eight months later came a wire from Kamloops that put him back in the picture. The courtroom enquiry ended in Keller being returned to the States in the custody of a couple of U.S. marshals. As befitting an ex-officer and gentleman, no handcuffs were thought necessary and the trio went east from Spokane in a compartment.

Fortune Failed

IT WAS ONE NIGHT while passing through rural Wisconsin that Keller—always the gambler—tried another whirl at the wheel of fortune. In some fashion he dressed in the clothes of one of his sleeping captors (where the other was we'll never know) and stepped off in the dark of night at a jerkwater station. Quickly, however, his absence was discovered, and the marshals took after him. All night they trudged the snow-covered back roads, and finally at daybreak caught up with their man. Keller was good-natured about the whole thing, even when one of the marshals pulled a pair of handcuffs from his pocket with the remark, "Cap, I think from now on you better wear these."

Later, "Cap", for stealing a government document, and forgery and uttering got the works—40 years in Leavenworth!

Today, as I said before, the only person you're likely to meet around the mouth of the Momitch River will be Leslie Narciase, going the round of his traps. Being an Indian he can trap there as long as he likes. Maybe in his travels he has noted the tumble-down remnants of a fair-sized log building. Though he doesn't know it, he was looking at the wilderness memorial to a man who tried to get away from it all!

GIFTS FROM THE KITCHEN

Time marches on! Only for children does Christmas approach on slow feet. Housewives across the land see that red date on the calendar rushing toward them like a runaway express train. Of course if you have been following my week-by-week planning and doing ahead you will be able to take time to sit down with me today and think about gifts.

The wise men brought gifts to the Babe at Bethlehem . . . since that time a gift has been considered a symbol of love and affection. As such it should not be chosen lightly or hurriedly. It is not the gift or its monetary value that is important . . . it is the thoughtfulness of the giver.

Gifts from the heart truly exemplify the gold, frankincense and myrrh of the first Christmas. In the true spirit of Christmas are the gifts fashioned lovingly by your own hands . . . good things out of your kitchen are ideal gifts for that person that has everything, for neighbors and shut-ins, for the working wife or business girl who have little time to cook.

Before we get into the recipes for gifts of food let's consider the packaging and wrapping of them . . . Pies and puddings may be baked in the new colored and decorated pyrex and the container included as part of the gift. Cookies and candies may be packed in all sorts of novel containers . . . candy jars, brandy glasses, cookie jars, etc. Cookies may be arranged on a shiny baking sheet, wrapped in clear cellophane with a couple of novelty cookie cutters dangled from the ribbon tie-ups. Chinese wicker baskets are very inexpensive, they come in many shapes and sizes. They make attractive containers for loaves of bread (shape the loaf to fit the container you plan to use). For the little, just-a-remembrance gift use foil containers with silver or gold doilies as liners. A food gift can be dressed up or down in a fancy container or in clear cellophane or foil. Aluminum foil is almost indispensable for packaging food gifts. It keeps the food moist and is glitter-pretty besides. It is splendid for those hard to wrap shapes as it can be molded around bulges and angles alike.

Homemade bread for the person who never makes it is a fine gift. This year we have a new recipe from the "Land Down Under." Australian Currant bread is light textured, delicately spiced and generously flecked with currants. It is equally good just sliced and buttered or toasted.

GLAZED AUSTRALIAN CURRANT LOAF . . . makes 2 medium loaves or 4 little loaves. 1 cup milk, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup white sugar, 2 tsp. salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup butter or margarine, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup lukewarm water, 2 tsp. white sugar, 2 envelopes yeast, 2 eggs well beaten, $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp. cinnamon, $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp. each of mace, powdered cloves, ginger and nutmeg, about $5\frac{1}{2}$ cups all purpose flour, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 cups currants, scalded, washed and dried and a little soft butter or margarine.

Scald the milk, stir in the $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sugar, the salt and the $\frac{1}{4}$ cup butter or margarine. Mix, and cool to lukewarm. Measure the warm water in a bowl (large enough to allow for rising), stir

In the 2 tsp. sugar and sprinkle the yeast on top. Let stand 10 minutes, then stir well. Stir in lukewarm milk mixture, the beaten eggs, spices and 3 cups of the flour. Beat until smooth. Place back in bowl. Grease top of dough with soft butter or margarine. Cover. Let rise in a warm place, free from draft until doubled in bulk, about $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours.

Punch down dough. Turn out on lightly floured board. Cut dough in half (or quarters for little loaves). Shape and place in greased pans. For two loaves use $8\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{2}$ loaf pans. One pound coffee tins make nice small loaves. Grease tops with soft butter or margarine. Let rise in a warm place until doubled in bulk, about an hour. Bake in a pre-heated 350° oven for 40 to 50 minutes or until nicely browned. (Reduce temperature 25° for pyrex). Remove from pans to cooling rack. If desired, glaze while still warm. Glaze . . . blend together one cup confectioners' sugar, a pinch of salt and enough milk or cream to make of spreading consistency. Flavor with $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp. vanilla or almond extract. Spread over warm loaves letting mixture drip down the sides. Halves of almonds or glaze cherries may be used as garnish. This bread may be made ahead and frozen (unglazed). Glaze and garnish after thawing.

Those of you who take pride in your jams, jellies and pickles . . . why not let some of them say Merry Christmas for you? A single bottle in a glittery colored foil wrapping or perhaps three small jars nested in a basket would be a lovely gift. Jars of spiced nuts, spiced pineapple chunks or those nibbling bits of seasoned cereal are kitchen gifts sure to be appreciated. Herb or garlic butter, dips or cheese pots are just a few suggestions.

Specially mixed cheese made into logs rolled in crushed nuts, paprika or chili powder then wrapped in foil is another gift idea. These would be suitable for the bachelor or bachelor girl, for the neighbor with the big family who does not have time to make the little time-consuming fancies that are nice for holiday entertaining. These are the kind of thoughtful gifts that disprove the worldly-wise idea that Christmas is nothing but a commercialized racket.

BLUE CHEESE LOG . . . blend together until smooth two 4-oz. packages of cream cheese, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. crumbled blue cheese, 1 tbsp. sherry and a dash each of onion salt and Tabasco. Blend well, chill, then mold into logs and roll in finely crushed walnuts or paprika. Wrap in wax paper, saran or foil.

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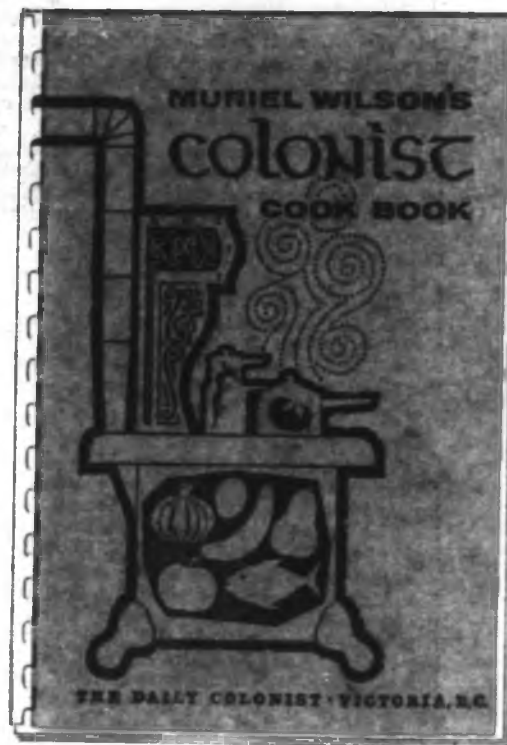
These logs improve with a week or so ripening. Keep refrigerated. Gift wrap to resemble Christmas crackers.

Be sure and tuck the recipe in with these gifts from the kitchen.

Besides gifts of food from the kitchen there are gifts for the kitchen for the woman who loves to cook. So often we neglect to buy for ourselves the little kitchen accessories that make cooking so much more interesting . . . a cookie press, a candy and deep fat thermometer, a meat thermometer, a really good, sharp boning knife or a set of those

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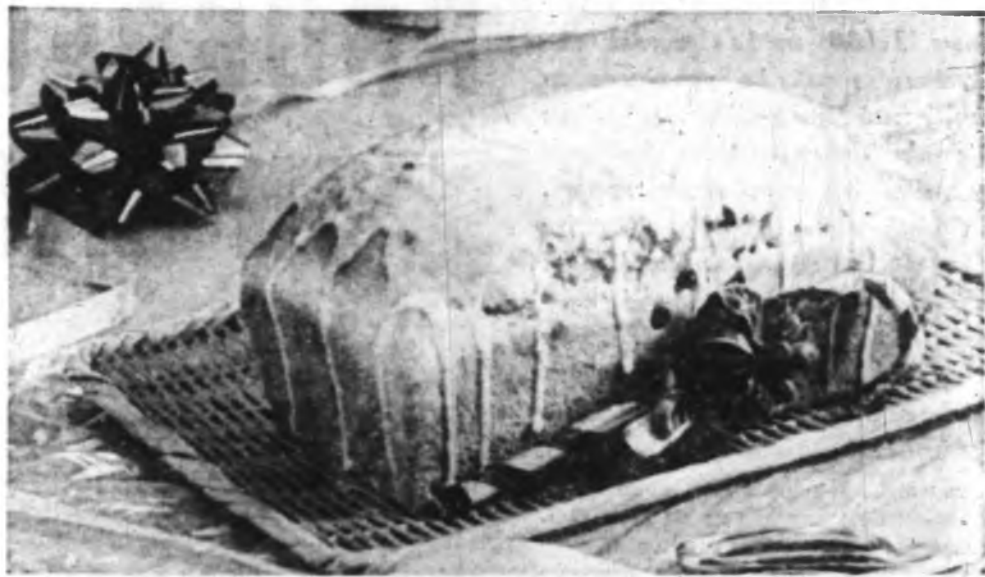
If your fruit cake seems too dry try this . . . prick the top of the cake quite deeply with a knitting needle, then sprinkle with rum, sherry or brandy.

GLAZE FOR FRUIT CAKE . . . in a small container heat 2 tbsp. corn syrup and 1 tbsp. rum or sherry. While it is hot brush on top of fruit cake. Use a pastry brush and give several applications, letting each application dry before applying next. This amount does a small cake, double or treble if necessary.

GLAZE No. 2 . . . 1 cup white sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup water and $\frac{1}{2}$ cup light corn syrup. Heat slowly then boil until a small amount dropped in cold water forms a slightly firm ball (242°F). Brush hot glaze over cake. Decorate with glaze fruit or nuts before last glaze.

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MURIEL WILSON'S Thought for Food

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almost indispensable (to me) easy-cut butter and
margarine measures. There are fancy jelly molds,
special omelet pans, iron corn bread pans or one
of those new, no-stick frying pans (they are mar-
velous). These gifts, especially chosen for a par-
ticular person, truly express love.

And how about a recipe file holding a dozen
of your tried and true recipes for the bride on
your list. It will take a little longer than some-
thing you could go out and buy but think how it
will be appreciated.

And the men cooks that we love . . . what will

we get for them? Men are the show-offs when
it comes to cooking so as a spur to his creative
culinary artistry let's present him with some of
the special ingredients for his cooking adventures
. . . exotic herbs, spices, a bottle of special sherry,
herb vinegar, smoke salt or a whopping big
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JOHN WEBB Just Laughs at Hardships

The mighty Churchill River flows 1,100 miles across the northern prairie provinces to empty into Hudson Bay. It widens into lake-like expansions, followed by miles of treacherous rapids. On both sides of the river lie areas of low mountains and hills, rich in game and fur-bearing animals. To the south, in Manitoba in recent years a new mining belt has been discovered, rich in nickel and other base metals.

A rugged Metchosin man, John Webb, has spent 30 years in this Manitoba wilderness as a trapper, prospector and fur trader. He has lived a robust, outdoors life on his trap line in winter; prospecting in summer.

"It's a young man's country; no mistake about that. I liked that life, I enjoyed the hardships!" he declares.

Daily, season after season, he would pitch his tent after mushing 20 miles in the snow, wolf a meal, then lie down and listen to the blizzard or the song of the wolves. In the grey dawn he would be off again into a world of white or a forest of green.

He is a husky man with crew cut hair and squarish face, a man of quick decision and versatility, undaunted by wild country or the solitary life.

During the summer things were easier. He'd pick up a 17-foot, 250-pound canoe; place the prow against a tree; lift and balance it on his shoulder pads, then walk a three-mile portage to the next lake as he traversed the prospector's trail.

"You are always crossing new territory. I would sleep in a rocky crevice and enjoy it," he says of those days.

English-Born

Webb was born in Nottingham, England, and left school at 14 years. His eyes were on western Canada, but the father, concerned for his son's safety, apprenticed him to a Nova Scotia farmer. At the age of 15 Webb emigrated on the Cynthia and started as a farm hand in Windsor.

"I liked it," he recalls, "but I wanted to go west. It was a call I'd always felt. I came on a harvest excursion to Saskatchewan in 1923 at the age of 17. The farmer explained to me that a rolling stone gathers no moss but I was unimpressed."

Webb landed at the railway station at Gowan, 50 miles north of Regina, where wheat farmers came to select their help.

"You'd better stand on that box to look taller, boy," a harvest-wise farmer suggested as he hired a strapping Bluenose nearby. Things looked discouraging until a Norwegian—though skeptical of his ability—gave him a chance.

"If I don't earn \$7 a day you don't need to pay me," young John challenged.

"I was stooking behind two binders, an impossible job, but I kept going. Then we threshed and fall plowed. I was through by the end of October. I had to get work, so I wrote a letter to a lumber camp at Bowsman, Manitoba. I was hired and spent the winter in the Porcupine Mountains, 163 miles east."

The young immigrant continued logging that summer, growing taller and filling out. By his 18th birthday he was five feet ten and weighed 170; a muscular youth with growing confidence in his ability to handle any job in the great outdoors.

That winter he left for Flin Flon, a boom town of 5,000, 60 miles to the north. He was hired by the Ross Navigation Company as a

PROSPECTING IN HIS BLOOD



JOHN WEBB, with Indian friends, inspects one of his snowmobiles.

horse driver on a "swing"—an outfit containing up to ten teams with sleds, each one carrying three tons of provisions for fur trading posts up to 200 miles away.

"The first team pushes a snow plow mostly on the lakes and rivers," Webb explains. "They can't supply these posts in summer due to muskies."

A person must become versatile in the north, ever trying and doing. That summer Webb went prospecting, staking claims that are held today by the Hudson's Bay Mining Company.

The roving and adventurous life of the lake country grew on him and he decided to become a trapper. Two years were spent at Limestone Lake and valuable experience gained. Then in August, 1931, Webb loaded five dogs, a sled, 300 traps, guns, ammunition and supplies into two 17-foot canoes and started down the Churchill River.

Drifting with the current he entered South Indian Lake, a 90-mile expansion of the river. At the confluence of the Vermillion River, which empties into the lake, he selected a site that was to be his home for the next nine years.

Webb is a man of action. With an axe and bucksaw he started a cabin of notched logs. Fashioning a crude spruce caulking wedge he chinked the open cracks with moss, then pounded it in to keep out the cold. A bull moose was shot and its hide placed in the bunk in a corner for warmth. Plasticlike stuff was nailed over an opening for a window, then sealed tight to keep out the icy blasts. Five-inch saplings were squared on the floor and an iron heater with a drum oven installed.

The outdoorsman relaxed slightly once the cabin began to heat.

"I felt fine but a little homesick," he recalls. "You have to keep going to beat the deadline of 50 below and heavy snows. I cut enough wood to last all winter. There's no room for discouragement."

With the first frost, white fish, jack fish and pickerel were netted from the lake and

three thousand placed in an open "deep freeze," to be used as dog food and bait. Game was abundant and Webb filled the larder with ptarmigan, spruce hen, ducks, geese and partridge. Moose meat and bear steaks were added for good measure.

Fur Sign

Northern lights flamed across the sky and reflected on the new-fallen snow. With a sharp drop in temperature Webb loaded a small tent, sleeping bag, traps, guns and provisions onto a sled. Soon the biting stillness of the dawn was broken by the yip-yip of his five dogs as they mushed up the river valley. Within a mile there were signs of ermine, otter, fox and muskrat.

"You have to have patience to set a trap," he says. "I speak Cree fluently and learned from the Indians."

The traps were laid along the river bank, under the ice canopies for muskrat; in carefully contrived snow-covered units for foxes; beside trails for ermine.

A good lead dog knows the way and picks the best trail year after year.

"After visiting about twenty traps I would call it a day, pull up after 18 miles."

Then Webb would shovel snow from beside a spruce tree; lay boughs and erect a tent. Twigs and small branches were snapped off and pushed into a stove, with its pipe through the tent roof; and pitch hacked-off trees to increase the heat.

Evening Meal

The first thought was for fire, then food. Large chunks of moose meat and ptarmigan breast were placed in bear grease in a steel fryer. As it cooked Webb attended to the dogs, treating them with care—for upon their welfare depended his prosperity. Each hundred-pound dog ate from five to seven pounds of lake fish daily.

"You are ravenously hungry at the end of the day. The stomach can't wait. You actually wolf the food," Webb says.

Northland Adventurer to Travel West Coast

by J. B. FISHER

Webb would bed down early as the dogs curled up in deep drifts. Many times, during the day, wolves watched from a distance and with darkness circled at about 100 yards. The 150-pound marauders did not attack, but their presence disturbed the sled team.

At dawn the thermometer would register 30 below. Webb would jump around a bit to keep warm, then let the dogs run for a stretch. After breakfast of moose meat or sturgeon with big helpings of honey and tea he would be off. The dogs pushed their heads through the harness, anxious to go. In the early day he would ride, but as the dogs tired, he travelled on snowshoes.

"I enjoyed the hardships of that life," Webb states. "You have to keep busy or you go bushed. I often didn't see another person for five months. My partner was 45 miles away. We had to come out occasionally. I have spent \$1,500 in Winnipeg in two weeks just trying to make up for lost time."

Those were the depression years but the trappers of the north didn't know it for the demand for Canadian fur was world-wide. A veteran trapper could earn several thousand in a good year, about \$1,000 in a bad one. Animals wax and wane.

Webb caught 1,500 muskrats one year, 300 the next. In recent years there has been a big increase in lynx. Some years huge herds of Barren Land caribou came along the shores of the lake, in other years none. The furs were sold to the Hudson's Bay Company.

The war came and Webb left the bush to join the 5th Canadian Armoured Division. He saw plenty of action in Italy, France, Holland and Germany.

By 1946 he was back in the newly-developed Manitoba mining belt, covering hundreds of miles, staking claims. For a while he and his partner thought they had it made. The Noranda Mining Co. took an option on 18 of their claims for an asked price of \$50,000. They paid \$7,000 for two—then dropped the others.

"Mining is a risky business," the prospector declares.

John met Marjorie Calver of the RCAF Women's Division at Sherridon in 1948 and they were married. A year later their son, Cal, was born. In 1950 they decided to open a fur trading post on a large Indian reservation at Nelson House on the Footprint River. Webb leased five acres from the Crees for the site.

It was a distant, isolated reserve with little contact of the outside world.

"I've always got along well with Indians."



MOOSE in the Churchill River country.

the woodsman relates. "They came to trust us. Mrs. Webb taught them to can fruit and nurse their sick. In the summer I organized wood pulp projects and fishing co-operatives, but the real currency was fur."

"They are a happy bunch," Marjorie Webb says. "They all help each other. A school was built and my two children, Cal and Elizabeth, attended. The Indian women are kind. In the summer we picked moss cranberries, blueberries and raspberries for preserves."

"The mosquitos and black flies were terrible."

From the beginning the post prospered. Furs were brought in to the value of \$100,000 a year. The fur trader also supplied distant posts with provisions but instead of a horse and "swing" they were carried by snowmobile. Tractors were used to haul pulp logs to the H.B. railway 80 miles away. Webb used an airplane for special deliveries.

With the children growing up the Webbs began to feel that civilization would offer far

better educational facilities. By 1960 they had been isolated long enough. Webb commenced negotiations for the sale of the post and equipment, including four snowmobiles. An executive from the Hudson's Bay Co. flew in with a cheque and the Webbs accepted.

A while later the family flew out to Winnipeg where they purchased a home and settled down. But an outdoorsman couldn't quite feel at home, so they travelled to Victoria, where the atmosphere and countryside reminded him of his early days in England. "There's no better place in Canada," he declares.

They purchased five acres and a home on Metchoin Road.

The call of the wild is still challenging. Next summer he and his son Cal are going to explore parts of the west coast in their 30-foot boat.

"We will be prospecting," Webb declares. "I like that life. You're always on new ground."

FAITH ANGUS' Stamp Packet

The "Compac" stamp issued by Fiji in December to coincide with the completion of the Commonwealth telephone cable across the Pacific, is an outstanding overprint on the present light blue 1s. The symbol used is an outline in black, of the cable ship Retriever and the words "Compac Cable in Use December 1963." Australia and New Zealand will each release a stamp in 1964 to commemorate the Commonwealth Pacific cable.

The GPO, Wellington, advises that a set of two values is to be issued to commemorate the centennial of the New Zealand Railways. The designs by railway department artists are produced by photo-gravure by Thomas de la Rue. The 3d. value will show old and modern railway engines; the 1s.9d. will show an express train drawn by one of the latest diesel locomotives with Mt. Ruapehu in the background. The stamps, printed in sheets of 120, bear the inscription: "Centenary of Railways 1863-1963." The date of issue has not been given.

The Philatelic Bureau of the post office, London, England, re-

leased its first issue of the Philatelic Bulletin in September. Items of special interest include a report on a new printer for high-value stamps, the change from cream to white paper, sheet layout for special issue and permanent issue stamps, experimental phosphor-lined stamps, slogans, postage due labels, and soon, first day covers. A detailed description is also given of all new issues since the first of May. The Bulletin will be issued each month.

News from Australia tells of the 4/- blue definitive stamp depicting Abel Tasman, which was released on October 9. First in a series designed by Walter Jardine of Sydney, depicting early navigators

'COMPAC' STAMP A FIJI ISSUE

of Australian waters, this stamp will be followed progressively in 1964 by five others. Values and subjects are: 5/- William Dampier, 7/6 James Cook, 10/- Matthew Flinders, £1 George Bass, £2 Philip Barker King.

A new 5d. grey Queen Elizabeth definitive carrying a modified design of the 5d. Royal Visit stamp, was also released on October 9. This stamp will replace the current 5d. Queen which has been in use since 1959.

The 5d. Christmas stamp was released in November.

There will be a complete change of postage stamps when Australia and New Zealand switch over to

decimal currency. July 11, 1967 is the year given for the changeover in New Zealand—about eighteen months later than Australia.

A reader has asked for advice after receiving several lots of unwanted, unsolicited approvals. This annoying "sharp business" trick of unloading any type of merchandise should never be encouraged and, fortunately, few dealers or individual philatelists would resort to the practice. Usually the most effective way of stopping the nuisance is to send the package back unopened with "Not ordered" written in large, conspicuous letters.

Flying Footsloggers Range Far and Wide

Just over a decade ago Canada's top geologists sat down to review progress over the past 110 years. They found, despite rugged efforts by generations of tough, hard-bitten predecessors (the Geological Survey of Canada has operated since 1842), more than two-thirds of Canada's sprawling 4,000,000 square miles were still unmapped geologically.



Helicopter leaves geologists atop Yukon Mountain. After traversing ridges, on foot they will rendezvous with the 'copter for an evening pick-up.



In camp geologists complete reports. From left, Dr. Al Fraser, Dr. Weston Blake, Dr. Hewart Bostock and Dr. William Poole at Bathurst Inlet, N.W.T.

For a nation so dependent on mineral wealth it was a vital situation. At this rate, another century and a half was needed to finish even a preliminary survey of the country.

It was then the helicopter came clattering with whirling blades into the geological picture, to provide a far-seeing observation platform. Combined in operations with fixed-wing airplanes, the helicopter became a magic carpet from which the skilled scientific eyes of experienced geologists could range over mountains and valleys, lakes and barrens.

Today, the Geological Survey of Canada launches nearly a dozen simultaneous air-borne operations a year. Helicopters,



Dr. E. T. Tozer studies rock formations on Ellesmere Island. He has been at this business 10 years.

CANADA GEOLOGICAL AIR SURVEY

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float-planes and balloon-tired aircraft carry geologists on scientific surveys that would have taken scores of years by previous pack-horse, canoe and dog-sled methods. Yet, though this airborne assault is expected to complete the reconnaissance mapping of Canada by 1970, there is still lots of old-fashioned foot-slogging to be done. In fact, during a single field season, some airborne party members may walk more than 500 miles and climb enough mountainsides to total five times the height of Mount Everest.



Other float plane lands a party of geologists in Bathurst Inlet. In this vicinity strong indications of oil deposits are being tested by drill crews.

Teenagers, Tobacco Worried Authority

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members of society. I think the best thing for me to do with you will be to keep you until you get a chance to separate and go to sea. I think that would be best for you. You are all bright, intelligent-looking boys and there is no reason why you should not become honest, useful men.

"Ex-Mayor (James) Fell has promised to send one of the boys to sea; the father of another is trying to get him a berth, and the mother of the third thought it would be best for her boy. She did not want him to ship on a sealer, however. She thought that would be worse for him than the jail. The boys were remanded for three days to allow them a chance to ship in different boats."

Victoria was not as genteel in 1888 as some of us today like to think. Hack drivers, or some of them, were always causing uproar of one kind or another. The *Colonist* reported a "most disgraceful incident in front of the Nickle Plate Saloon, 'caused by two hackmen seeking the patronage of 'a lady of the night.'"

The *Colonist* considered the time ripe to deliver a little lecture: "It is a constant complaint from ladies and others that hackmen and gamblers congregate near the post office crossing, blocking up the walk, using indecent language and ogling passers-by."

"The greater number of hack drivers are respectable men, but there are some in the business who never should be permitted to drive. They comprise the lowest class in society and are not fit to drive a scavenger's cart, but are allowed to stand on the principal thor-

oughfares as licensed drivers and solicit custom from respectable people."

Then, of a sudden, that argument about Canada joining the United States reared its head again, and this time—horror of horrors—the talk didn't come from the United States, but from Canadian-born Sir Richard Cartwright, a very pillar of the Liberal party in the East. Why, he was looked upon a traitor. Having been knighted by Queen Victoria he would now turn upon Her Majesty and sell out to those braggarts who had tossed aside the British crown a century before.

Cartwright said that he was North American-born and so felt a keen interest in North America. Sir John A. Macdonald, the prime minister, said he was Scottish-born—a Britisher he was born, said Sir John, and a Britisher he would die.

The *Colonist* sought to put that man Cartwright into his proper place: "He seems to hold the opinion that Canada, notwithstanding the protection of Great Britain, is completely at the mercy of the States."

"We gather from the report of his speech that he believes that if it pleases the Americans to be friendly and neighborly, Canada can continue to remain a colony of Great Britain. But if they take it into their heads to be unpleasant and unneighborly it will be impossible for Canadians, either to maintain their connection with Great Britain or to attain their independence. The firm and lasting friendship of the United States, according to Sir Richard, is necessary to Canada, in any condition outside annexation."

No, said The *Colonist*, Canadians would never bow low before the Stars and Stripes: "Canadians, when they were not so strong as they are now, and much more divided, assumed and maintained an attitude of independence towards the United States. In their dealings with the government of the Republic, they maintained their self-respect and firmly upheld what they believed their rights."

"They did not cringe to their big neighbor. Neither did they fawn upon her. They dealt with her in a fearless manner, as with an equal, and made no concessions that were not grounded on justice and fair and honorable dealing. We cannot see why Canada should abandon that attitude now..."

The *Colonist* found Prime Minister Sir John A. much more reasonable: "His attitude is manly and self-respectful. He speaks as the representative of a free people who know what their rights are, and who are resolved to maintain them by legislative means."

"Sir John (in a recent speech) was silent on the trade question between Canada and the

United States. Knowing, as he does, that annexation is the equivalent required for reciprocity, he evidently regards the question as outside the field of practical politics and legislative discussion."

"It was not to be expected that the Canadian Prime Minister, who is also one of Her Majesty's privy councillors, would ask his audience if they were prepared to barter their allegiance for a few trade advantages. Such a proposal is one that he, at any rate, as a loyal servant of the Queen, could not entertain."

After such weighty discussion of 1888, I hurried along to some lighter chit-chat, and found a wedding that interested me.

"At the First Presbyterian Church... was celebrated the marriage of Capt. Victor Jacobsen, one of the most successful sailing schooner owners, and Miss Minnie McLean, eldest daughter of Mr. John McLean of this city."

"The bride looked very pretty attired in a lovely dress of seal grey satin, veil and orange blossoms, and was attended by Miss M. Sims, who wore a dress of pink satin. The groom was ably supported by Capt. McKiel."

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Donald Fraser in the presence of a large assemblage, her father giving the bride away.

"The wedding party proceeded to the residence of the bride's parents where a sumptuous wedding supper was partaken of. The bride was the recipient of a large number of presents from her numerous friends, many of them of a costly and elegant character."

"Capt. Jacobsen has been well and favorably known in Victoria for several years and has prospered in his calling. Both he and his charming bride are deserving of every good luck and have the sincere wishes of a host of friends for prosperity and happiness during their wedded life."

THIS WEEK'S ANAGRAM

(1) SUIT	PLUS	SLUM	EQUALS ???
(2) TAIL	"	DUET	" "
(3) ADIT	"	LUTE	" "
(4) SWAT	"	COIN	" "
(5) TART	"	CROP	" "

Anagram answers on Page 16

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If he fetches the paper, dear, surely he's entitled to read it first?"

R. B. BENNETT:

Gift to Britain

By JOHN ROBSON

A Canadian once said that we have given Britain great gifts in Beaverbrook, Baxter, and Bennett.

To which the reply was: "You can have the three Bs back anytime."

Mr. Watkins, himself a Briton and a former Conservative member of the Alberta legislature, doesn't convince me that the reply was ill-judged in Bennett's case.

When at the end of the book I read, "Bennett was a very great man, but wherein lies greatness?" I felt that the author had given up his brief.

I'm not saying that this book (a "sketch," not a detailed biography) should be given up. On the contrary, it's taut and imaginative, revealing the driving curiosity Mr. Watkins feels about a man in whom he sees something of himself. And about a man whose career helps explain why Canada and Canadian Conservatism are what they are today.

Bennett's career runs from the Maritimes in the late 19th century, to Alberta at the turn of the century, to Ottawa in the 1920s and '30s, and finally to England just before the last war.

And what made R.B. run? Mr. Watkins suggests that Bennett's close relations with an ambitious mother may explain why he was a cold, relentless egocentric with an explosive temper.

His argument would have been strengthened if he had seen also the typical link between Calvinism and self-sufficient capitalism.

Bennett, who early decided that he was going to be Prime Minister, felt it essential that he should make money. And make money he did. Industry, drive, foresight, and a few less desirable qualities led him to fortune, as they have led others then and now.

Bennett made his first fortune in law, and his second through inheritance from friends of the Eddy Match Company.

How he managed to be so lucky I don't know, and Mr. Watkins doesn't tell me.

When he says that Bennett "served his king, his country and

R. B. BENNETT, by Ernest Watkins (British Book Service), \$7.25.

his empire to the best of his abilities," I can't help adding that he did himself a favor too.

In politics Bennett had limited success. He lacked experience before becoming leader of the Conservatives, and never learned to understand or work with other people.

Mr. Watkins tells the anecdote of the stranger asking why Bennett talked to himself, and was told that he was holding a Cabinet meeting.

The greatest puzzle in his career, never completely explained, was his sudden espousal of radical reform just before the 1935 election, the election that shot him out of power.

Mr. Watkins argues with some success that the Conservative party, though led into the wilderness for many long years by Bennett, would not have survived at all if it hadn't had this injection of radicalism.

Even allowing for the election he knew he was to face, with a country ripped and desperate because of drought and depression, Bennett's radio speeches of 1935 make surprising reading.

For example, he said: "When capitalism is freed at last from its harmful imperfections, when government exercises the intended



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measure of regulation over capitalist groups, capitalism will be in fact your servant and not your master."

When the Canadian people rejected this appeal, Bennett took his capital and left them, saying that his "activities of the past" militated against his "usefulness to Canada as a private citizen." Not a pleasant epitaph for one's own public career.

Fiction Not for Frenchmen

De GAULLE ON TRIAL

By JOHN BARKHAM

The externals are dramatic. "The Trial of Charles de Gaulle." What trial? Stamped across the jacket in red is the ukase: "Banned in France." Why?

This book has a story behind it. Alfred Fabre-Luce is a French ex-Vichyite political writer with a score of books to his name. He detests General de Gaulle, and has set forth his reasons in this imaginary future trial (or, as we would call it, impeachment) of de Gaulle for crimes against the state. Because the book was considered "insulting" to the head of state—less majesty, as it were—it has been banned in France and the author and publisher prosecuted.

It is in many ways a virtuoso performance in a genre occasionally practised in Europe. Fabre-Luce has clothed his attack in the trappings of fiction, though its essential purpose is clear enough—to expose de Gaulle as a dictator, as a maker and breaker of political pledges, and as an arrogant, overweening leader who equates himself with the soul of France.

The "trial" takes place before a court consisting of the two houses of the French National Assembly. The witnesses include real-life characters—like Guy Mollet, Pierre Pflimlin, Jacques Soustelle—plus others invented by the



de GAULLE

author. The proceedings are more flexible, the interruptions more frequent, and the range of testimony far wider than would be permitted in Anglo-Saxon courts. It remains only to add that the author, who once faced similar, though less exalted proceedings for supporting the Vichy regime, handles his "trial" with forensic skill and high-sounding eloquence.

The reader will find that some of the testimony involves unfamiliar events growing out of the fratricidal strife inherent in French politics. But much of it is germane to the present situation, now that de Gaulle has openly proclaimed his distaste for the "Anglo-Saxons." The author lets his court reach no decision: that is

THE TRIAL OF GENERAL de GAULLE by Alfred Fabre-Luce. New York: Frederick A. Praeger, Inc. 270 pp. \$4.95.

left to the reader (the non-French reader, that is).

Yet the die seems cast against de Gaulle from the start. The witnesses produce damaging evidence against him. (The real-life political characters, it should be explained, use words drawn from their own published statements.) de Gaulle's vaunted military competence as a strategist, for example, is exposed from the record. His conception of European unification has always been predicated on French leadership—what Dean Acheson called "the French mahout on the European elephant's back."

If Fabre-Luce is right, de Gaulle made political promises he had no intention of fulfilling. Algeria being a prime example. Having

opposed the Vichy-French government in war as an act of patriotism, he denounced similar opposition by the white colons of Algeria as an act of treason. Where, asks the author, is the logic? Here, I suggest, the average reader will side with de Gaulle. Algeria was entitled to its independence, and if the process involved political dissimulation, that was too bad. The end justified the means.

Cleverly, Fabre-Luce lets de Gaulle's counsel plead that the personification of power is a historical constant and that de Gaulle personifies France. "France, naturally anarchical, needs him more than any other nation." But the most ironic virtue he accords de Gaulle is freedom of the French press.

Apparently this did not extend to M. Fabre-Luce, so that his dialectical tour de force may be read anywhere in the world except in its native land. The author has had his say. As for the General, his reaction so far has been, as it is in the book, a haughty silence.

NEW BOOKS and AUTHORS

Through MURIEL WILSON'S Hard Work

COOKING MADE EASY

"Perhaps the time will come," says Muriel Wilson in her foreword to **THE COLONIST COOK BOOK**, "when science will crash through with a meal in a pill complete with parsley, but until that time comes cooking will continue to be a necessary and important part of life."

Well, as a matter of fact, science has already achieved the capsule meal. It is unattractive.

Muriel Wilson's recipes, her food tricks and tips for tastier menus, combined in 112 pages, are as appetizing as anything anyone could find in print.

An enormous amount of work went into this cook book. The author's recipes have been tested over many years: not only by her own family and guests who give unqualified approval, but by the thousands who have regularly read her Thought for Food column which appears each week in *The Islander*.

The actual preparation of the book itself was a year-long effort.

First there were the writing and illustrating, the art done by the author's daughter, Joan Wilson Lovett; the cover by Robert Wilson, no relation, by the way, and an artist recognized in the commercial field.

Then came the technical conferences with James Dickson, head of The Colonist Printers, Ltd., on handling. Open the book wherever the recipe may be and the pages fall flat and stay there.

Once type is set proofs must be corrected.

Lithographic production is accomplished by setting up type and pictures in page forms and photographing, and the photograph is transferred to an aluminum printing plate which goes to the presses.

The pages go from press to gathering table, where they are stacked in sequence, and as the table revolves so the gatherers lift each sheet in order and deftly pile them. Each completed stack, with front and back covers, moves to the guillotine, or trimmer, and is cut to the precise size required. of the oldest-established lithographing plants on the Pacific Coast. As a matter of fact commercial printing by The Colonist goes back more than 100 years to the days when Amor de Cosmos, founder of the newspaper, hand-set cards and pamphlets in his ramshackle waterside plant.

Mr. Dickson chose a high gloss, grease-resistant paper for the book, ideal for kitchen use. The binding is done with "lie-flat" plastic rings which makes for easy

Final move is to the punching machine for insertion of the binding rings.

There's your book.

Mrs. Wilson gives her book a literary flavor, too, with such items as her "Recipe for a Merry Christmas."

"Take the living room of any home and add a family. Mix the wonder of a little girl, the sparkle of a boy's glance and the love of family. Stir well. Set gently before a hearth fire until the Spirit of Christmas leavens the mixture.

"Now add the scent of cedar, the brightness of holly and the sound of Santa's sleigh bells. Stir in a generous quantity of gaiety. Mix well, then simmer in the warmth of goodwill to men until it bubbles with laughter. Garnish

A Commentary by IAN SCOTT

with gifts tied with your heart-strings. Serve by the light of a star to the tune of a Christmas carol.

"This recipe is sufficient to serve the whole world."

And you will find little bits of whimsical philosophy among the tidbits.

"It is one of the ironies of life that when one grows tall enough to reach the jam on the pantry shelf, the craving for jam has left."

There are so many things of value here. For example, for the cook on Christmas the gravy is always a last-minute chore. Everything else is ready, the turkey on the platter, the vegetables steaming, the plates hot, the family waiting . . . It's a problem that apparently defies solution.

"... Make the gravy the day before," advises Mrs. Wilson.

There, on page 107, is the recipe.

But the Christmas cooking is only one of 14 specialized chapters. They cover everything from the useful weights and measures, equivalents and substitutes to the hints for a bride.

The Christmas chapter is especially intriguing because it is seasonable. And there is a little message there that rings like a Christmas bell with affection and regard.

"From my kitchen to your kitchen come good wishes and a Merry Christmas tied with a big red bow . . .

"May your table be well laden and around it may you have those who are near and dear to you.

"May there be laughter in your home and love and peace in your heart."



MURIEL WILSON, the author, is pleased with *The Colonist Cook Book*.



MARY BELL and PAT STEWART at the gathering table, putting the pages together for John Crook to trim and Margaret Starrock to punch and staple.—Bill Boucher photos.



"You didn't happen to have 'Snip Snap Crunches' for breakfast by any chance?"

A GHOST SHIP FOUND NORTHWEST PASSAGE

History credits Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen as being the first man to navigate legendary Northwest Passage. But Amundsen was only a contender—he lost the race by 143 years!

For three centuries men sought a shortcut from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean and the riches of Asia. British, French, Dutch, Danish and Russian explorers competed for the success that meant immortality to the discoverer and fortune to the nation that financed him. But the man who actually made the discovery won no fame. Indeed, he claimed none—because, like historians, he never knew of his success himself!

August 12, 1775, the American whaler *Herald* was hunting her quarry in the Arctic waters off the west coast of Greenland. She cruised for hours, sighting nothing. Suddenly the lookout perched in the crow's nest spotted another ship among the mountainous icebergs. The strange vessel advanced steadily, but those aboard the *Herald* sensed that something was wrong. They realized she was not answering to the helm, but was simply drifting with the current. As the schooner neared, they noticed that her sails were shredded and her masts coated with ice.

Captain Warren of the *Herald* waited for the stranger to close, so that he could hail

her. But there was no answer, no sign of life. Silence.

With eight men in a longboat, Capt. Warren rowed to the other vessel. He could barely discern the name *Octavius* on her weather-scarred hull. He hailed again. Still there was no response.

The superstitious sailors hesitated to accompany Capt. Warren aboard the ghostly ship. Ordering four to follow him, Warren pulled himself up the collapsed rigging that spilled

T. W. PATERSON

over the side like a torn spider web. The rotten deck, slippery with a green moss, was treacherous, and the men had to inch their way about. No one stood at the helm and no one was on deck. There was no one anywhere, it seemed. Their apprehension grew.

Descending to the quarters, the *Herald's* men saw a scene that would remain with them the rest of their lives. Twenty-eight men lay in their bunks, heavily wrapped in their blankets. Calling brought no response from them.

Warren shook one and drew back aghast. The man was icy cold. All were dead; but their bodies perfectly preserved in the frigid atmosphere.

The whaler crewmen staggered aft to the captain's cabin.

Octavius's master was slumped at his desk. The pen that lay beside his hand gave the impression that he had fallen asleep at his

task. . . . In the bed lay the frozen body of a woman. Sitting cross-legged in a corner of the room, a sailor still clutched flint and steel in his hands. At his feet was a tiny mound of wood shavings, evidence of his vain attempt to kindle a fire.

His face huddled against the sailor's jacket was the body of a little boy.

Mumbling a prayer for the dead, Capt. Warren grabbed the derelict's log book, and the men quickly retreated to the *Herald*. They watched *Octavius* vanish among the icebergs, and she was never seen again.

In his cabin, Capt. Warren studied the log book. The last entry was dated November 11, 1762. He read the heartrending story scribbled across the page. The ship had been imprisoned by ice for 17 days, and the fires had died out. Unable to start another, the captain had given the flint and steel to the first mate. And the crew, tortured by the excruciating cold, waited for the warmth that never came.

The ship's position made Capt. Warren blink in disbelief. He read it over and over, unable to believe his eyes. But his officers confirmed it. The last position marked in the musty log was Longitude 160 W, Latitude 75 N.

On November 11, 1762, *Octavius* had been ice-bound in north of Point Barrow, Alaska—the other side of the North American continent!

In the following 13 years she had drifted, despite ice fields and storms, and finally reached the North Atlantic where she was found by the *Herald*.

The fabled Northwest Passage that had defeated nations for 300 years was conquered by a crew of ghosts in a derelict ship.

RELIC OF A SEA DISASTER

At the turn of the century the waters of the Straits of Juan de Fuca and Georgia teemed not only with fish but with coastal steamers of all shapes, sizes and states of seaworthiness.

One of the smaller liners operating coastal waters at that time was the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's *Valencia*. This vessel was fairly old when she was acquired by the company. Amongst other duties, she had served her time as a troop transport during the Spanish-American War. She was entitled to be classed as a coastal liner since she did operate on scheduled runs up and down the coast. In those days there was a great deal of traffic from San Francisco to the Puget Sound area and, of course, the gold rush of '98 saw overcrowded ships heading for Alaska from all the ports of this area. The *Valencia* did her fair share in transporting prospectors northwards.

She was a badly found ship and in time she met her fate on the Vancouver Island coast, near Bamfield. This small port lies at the entrance to Barkley Sound and

the channel to Port Alberni. One could hardly say that it was on the direct route from San Francisco to Puget Sound! However, northbound from the Golden Gate to Seattle, in January, 1906, the *Valencia* got far enough off course to come to grief under a cliff near the small village. The tugs *Queen* and *Salvor of Victoria* were soon on the scene. But they were unable to assist in any way and stood by helplessly as the *Valencia* was pounded to pieces.

Faulty navigational equipment and poor life-jackets were, in large measure, to blame for the loss of 117 passengers and crew members in this disaster. Only 27 survived. Storms soon finished off what was left of the *Valencia* and there are now no recognizable remains to be seen at the site.

In the Maritime Museum of British Columbia are two reminders of this unfortunate ship. A name board and a number plate '5' from a lifeboat are on display. This boat was found in Barkley Sound in 1933. The *Valencia's* paint

work at least must have been good since after its long exposure to the elements the lettering is still quite clear. One wonders how this

boat could have remained unsighted for 27 years in such a busy waterway. Strange things do happen!

Walt Disney's True Life Adventures

SNOUTY.

THE SACRED FISH OF THE Nile IS NOT LOOKING DOWN ITS LONG NOSE BECAUSE OF ITS NAME.

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ITS LONG SNOUT IS A TOOL OF ITS TRADE... WHICH IS POKING INTO CREVICES FOR FOOD.

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ANAGRAMS ANSWERS

- (1) STIMULUS
- (2) ALTITUDE
- (3) LATITUDE
- (4) WAINSCOT
- (5) PROTRACT